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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER.

Rain to-day; fair, colder to-morrow; rising south to west winds.

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SENATE 26 TO 23 AGAINST BETTING

Proposition to Postpone Taking Effect of Anti-Racing Law to Sept. 1 Defeated.

PASSAGE OF BILLS ASSURED

Bitter Debate, in Which Grady Assails Hughes and McCarren Asserts Proposed Laws Are Not Enforceable.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—After a bitter debate which lasted all day the Senate to-day advanced to the order of third reading without opposition the Agnew-Hart bills embodying the Governor's recommendation for the suppression of race-track gambling. This action was taken after a proposition to postpone the taking effect of the proposed laws until Sept. 1 had been voted down. The vote on this proposition, 26 to 23, may be regarded as a fair test of how the vote will stand on final passage.

Here is the vote in detail:

FOR TAKING EFFECT IMMEDIATELY.

Agnew,
Allds,
Armstrong,
Carpenter,
Cassidy,
Cobb,
Cordts,
Davis,
Dunn,
Fancher,
Foelker,
Fuller,
Gates,
Heacock,
Hill,
Hinman,
Hooker,
O'Neill,
Page,
Raines,
Saxe,
Smith,
Taylor,
F. Travis,
Tully,
White.
Total—26.

FOR TAKING EFFECT SEPT. 1.

Ackroyd,
Boyce,
Burr,
Cohalan,
Cullen,
Emerson,
Frawley,
Gilchrist,
Grady,
Grattan,
Harte,
Hazenflug,
Knapp,
McCall,
McCarren,
McManus,
Mullaney,
Owens,
Ramsperger,
Sohmer,
Sullivan,
Thompson,
Wemple.
Total—23.

Taylor and Fuller were the only Democrats to vote in favor of the proposed law going into effect at once. These Republicans voted with the Democrats and against the Governor and for the amendment: Burr, Emerson, Gilchrist, Grattan, Knapp, and Wemple.

It was almost 11 o'clock when the vote on the amendment was taken. Senator Raines said after adjournment that the bills could be passed to-morrow if necessary.

At the Senate debate on the racing bills to-day, the galleries were crowded. Men stood five deep in the space behind the forum railing in the Senate Chamber. The anteroom of the Lieutenant Governor's office, which opens into the Senate Chamber, was crowded.

State Racing Commissioner Sanford, one of the most bitter opponents of the proposed reforms, occupied a seat in the Senate Chamber. Finally the crush became so great that Senator Raines asked the Chairman to have the Chamber cleared. Lobbying was carried on across the forum rail by the gambling element among the spectators.

Senators Grady and McCarren were the leaders of the opposition, and Senator Grady opened the debate after the bill amending the Penal Code so as to eliminate the clause affording protection to race track gamblers was called up. An amendment was tacked on to this measure by the Senate Codes Committee which provides for its taking effect on Sept. 1. Senator Agnew moved to have the bill amended to take effect immediately.

Grady Assails Gov. Hughes.

Senator Grady, instead of directing his attack against the amendment, discussed the merits of the proposed legislation, and bitterly assailed Gov. Hughes. He said the passage of the bills would not interfere with gambling or betting except in its least hurtful forms, and wondered why the Governor had been "totally dumb" on the subject of stock gambling on the Exchanges. He also declared that the Governor had exceeded his constitutional prerogative when he had toured the State and aroused public sentiment in favor of his reforms.

"The Governor is entirely mistaken," Senator Grady exclaimed, "if he believes that this Senate is nothing more than a phonograph, and that whenever the Chief Executive takes snuff the Legislature must sneeze."

Referring to the report that if the bills were defeated, Gov. Hughes would call an extra session for the purpose of having them passed, Senator Grady said: "I want to see that done. I would like to look into the face of the Governor who would dare to carry out such a threat."

McCarren Attacks Bingham.

Senator McCarren got the floor at the afternoon session. He said too much attention was being paid to the suppression of gambling, and made a bitter attack on Police Commissioner Bingham and the New York police force.

"An act for the propagation of poolrooms would be a proper title for his bill," said Mr. McCarren.

"You cannot suppress gambling. You can only drive it in under the skin where you will corrupt the entire body politic. Tests of endurance and speed appeal to all human beings. We even learn that Plato once adjourned a philosophical discussion in order that he and his pupils might attend a horse race. I wish they would make betting a capital offense, punishable by electrocution, because then they would never find a jury to convict."

O'Neill for Governor's Reforms.

Senator O'Neill of Franklin spoke in favor of the Governor's reforms. He wanted the Constitution upheld or all laws against gambling repealed.

Senator Fuller of Kings, who followed, said that he would vote for the bills because he had sworn to uphold the Constitution.

Senator Cassidy of Schuyler said: "There are great and good divines like Bishop Potter and Dr. Slicer—men who have lived in the great maelstrom of race track gambling, New York City—who believe that we would be worse off under the proposed law than we are now.

"It is funny that there should be men so sensitive about the Constitution as we find here. It's up to the Court of Appeals when all is said and done, and I cannot help thinking that the men who are so sensitive about the Constitution must have a violent grudge against our highest court."

Senator Hinman of Broome defended the Governor against the attacks of Grady and McCarren. A recess was taken for a night session.

When the Senate resumed its debate at 8:30, Senator McCarren got the floor again. He and Senator Grady were talking against time to permit missionary work on the part of Senator "Christie" Sullivan and others, who are opposed to the bills, among their colleagues.

Agnew Speaks for Reforms.

Senator Agnew made a short speech in favor of the measures. He declared that the oath of office taken by members of the Senate made the course plain. The provisions of the Constitution, he said, should be obeyed. The bill was then advanced. The bill amending the Percy-Gray law was then moved by Senator Agnew. Senator Grady made objection to

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EVANS REACHES SAN DIEGO.

And Immediately Starts for the Springs to Treat His Rheumatism.

Special to The New York Times.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 1.—The battleship Connecticut, flagship of the Atlantic fleet, with Rear Admiral Evans on board, arrived from Magdalena Bay at 5 o'clock this morning. Admiral Evans left this afternoon for San Luis Obispo, where he will take treatment for rheumatism, which has afflicted him since the fleet arrived at Rio de Janeiro. The Admiral expects to rejoin the fleet at Santa Cruz on May 1.

Before leaving for the springs Rear Admiral Evans said:

"It will be a keen disappointment to me if I am unable to be present at the various functions that have been planned on the Pacific Coast, but I must yield to the advice of physicians. If I gain the anticipated benefit from the inland air and the water of the springs I shall, as soon as the physicians consent, rejoin the officers and men of the fleet in a frolic ashore."

The Admiral described his rheumatic pains "at times almost unendurable."

The Connecticut returns to Magdalena Bay immediately. Rear Admiral Charles M. Thomas, commanding officer of the Second Squadron, is temporarily in command of the fleet.

The Connecticut made the run from Magdalena Bay to San Diego, a distance of 620 miles, in a little more than forty-eight hours.

MELBOURNE, April 1.—Alfred Deakin, Prime Minister of Australia, has received a cable message announcing that the American battleship fleet, which will be divided into two squadrons of eight warships each, will arrive here Sept. 1 and will stay for a period of ten days.

3 DEAD IN TENEMENT FIRE.

Many Jump and Are Hurt at Blaze in Hester Street.

Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning a serious fire was discovered at 44 Hester Street, a big tenement house, by a policeman. The fire started near the bottom of an air shaft, and the first thing done after sending in an alarm was to awaken the tenants. This took a few minutes and resulted in a scene of the wildest excitement. Twenty families lived in the place, each having children, and they crowded the smoke-filled halls, the fire escapes, or sought escape by the roof.

Within a few minutes after the fire was seen the entire neighborhood was aroused. Many of the population are foreigners and they shrieked advice to the panic-stricken ones crowding every fire escape.

Perhaps a dozen persons were slightly injured in the rush for safety. James O'Neill, a policeman attached to the Eldridge Street Station, was injured by falling from the first floor to the street. Feige Berzon jumped from the second-floor window to the first-floor fire escape and was injured. David Miller of Boston, who was visiting friends, was also hurt.

Rosie Gellman jumped from a second-story window. She was taken to Gouverneur Hospital with internal injuries. Another injured was Fireman John Drew, of Hook and Ladder 6, who was badly cut by flying glass. The damage was about $1,500.

The fire worked its way to the top of the building and burst out on the upper floor. After it was over the firemen found in a room on the top floor a man and woman unconscious.

The woman was locked in the man's arms as though he would protect her from the smoke and fire. He died soon after the pair were found. The woman was taken to Gouverneur Hospital, where she died. Their names were not learned by the police.

On the same floor the members of Truck 6 found the dead body of a baby.

DAILY PAPER FOR SOCIALISTS.

Party to Publish The Evening Call, Beginning on May 1.

The Evening Call, a daily newspaper which will be the official organ of the Socialist Party of America and is intended to "tell the truth, no matter who it hurts," will begin its career on May 1. All the necessary mechanism for a daily paper is now being installed on the top floor of 6 Park Place. Who the editors will be and who the persons are who intend to back the paper, was not divulged yesterday at the Socialist Headquarters, but on the top floor of 6 Park Place a man who said he was circulation manager of The Evening Call,, had this to say:

"The 450,000 Socialists who voted at the last Presidential election are furnishing the funds for this paper, and they will manage the paper through an Executive Committee."

The circulation manager said he regretted that The Evening Call had not been in existence prior to the gathering in Union Square when Selig Silverstein, the young Anarchist, attempted to hurl a bomb into a squad of policemen. "Our circulation would have boomed up to 50,000 if we could have got out the paper that day," he said. He was asked if he and his associates on The Evening Call expected to boom their paper on the strength of other events of that nature in this city.

"We do not expect another blowout like that here," he replied. "We have a lot of unemployed here, but no serious labor troubles. There are likely to be blowouts in other parts of the country, and I expect one of the liveliest times in the history of the United States, especially after election. There will be trouble."

SOCIALISTS HURT CITY BONDS.

Milwaukee Bankers Won't Bid for Fear of Radical Victory at Polls.

Special to The New York Times.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 1.—Fear of a Social Democratic victory at the election next Tuesday is said to be the reason that there was not a single bid received from any banking house for the $825,000 bond issue, which was to have been allotted to-day. The Social Democrats have been gaining in strength here for several years past, and polled 12,000 votes out of a total of about 60,000.

The Socialists are making every effort to disrupt the united Republican strength, but cannot win unless they can stir up a row between the La Follette and the anti-La Follette Republicans. At present these two factions are working together for the first time in eight years.

Gov. Toole Out, Norris Now Governor.

HELENA, Mont., April 1.—The resignation of Gov. Joseph K. Toole became effective to-day, and Edwin Norris, Lieutenant Governor, was installed as Chief Executive of Montana.

$55 to California and the Pacific Coast Via West Shore R. R. $58 via New York Central, Feb. 29 to April 29. Telephone 5680 Madison.—Adv.

PUBLISHES KAISER'S TWEEDMOUTH LETTER

Munich Journal's Version of Missive on Navy Believed Accurate, Despite Denials.

NATIONS NOT UNFRIENDLY

Suggests That Lord Esher Had Best Look After Windsor Drains Instead of Naval Politics.

BERLIN, April 1.—The publication in a Munich journal, which is issued twice a month, of what it asserts to be a copy of the letter which Emperor William sent to Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the British Admiralty, which created a sensation both in Germany and in England, and a letter from Lord Tweedmouth in reply, created considerable commotion in Berlin to-day.

The Foreign Office declared that the letters published were not copies of the originals and the official news agency pronounced the publication an "April fool joke."

Despite these declarations, the impression prevailed in well-informed circles that both letters were authentic.

The paper does not explain how the letters came into its possession. As reproduced, the Emperor's letter appears quite harmless in character, there being not the slightest attempt in it to influence Great Britain's naval policy.

It was called out through a published letter of Lord Esher, who is a member of the entourage of King Edward, in which he said. "There is not a man in Germany, from the Emperor downward, who would not welcome the fall of Sir John Fisher."

Sir John Fisher is Senior Naval Lord of the British Admiralty.

In referring to this statement, according to the letter as published, the Emperor says: "Instead of allaying distrust, like me and you, he rekindles it, and that at the fireside of gentlemen of the Maritime League, which had already shown no lack of distrust. You know yourself, my dear Lord, that I am the last person to take delight in the difficulties of the Sea Lord, and you know how I think about German machinations against Tirpitz."

Admiral von Tirpitz is Secretary of the German Admiralty.

"Our sea power," continues the Emperor, "is one-fifth yours—one-fifth; do you know what that means? It means that Germany can never take the offensive at sea; only she is not disposed to neglect the duty of defense and self-preservation.

"The political doctrine that says the two circles of Germany and Great Britain must cut across each other is wrong. Nowhere are they political; always are they economical. The economical tendency of sane enlargement must, between intelligent peoples, never be exploited in any other way except in the form of peaceful rivalry."

Referring to his visit to London last November and an address which he made at a reception given in his honor at the Guildhall, he said:

"This time, as well as sixteen years ago, I said in the Guildhall that I honestly wished to maintain peace and friendship with England, and the wishes of the German Nation are the same as my own. During the London week a compatriot of yours appealed to healthy human reason. 'Certainly,' I said to him, 'we also could do with some of that,' but this requirement does not confine itself, as I now see, to Germany alone.

"I must close. M. Cambon of the French Embassy is waiting to hand me an album upon the boundary regulations between the German Cameroons and the French Congo. I close with the knowledge that between us two such misunderstandings as have happened to Lord Esher are impossible. It would be a good thing if before he occupies himself with naval politics and before he attributes intentions which do not exist to others, he would think how he might possibly induce the drain pipes at Windsor to produce a normal ventilation.

"I am very well in spite of this wet weather. The Empress remembers with pleasure the beautiful days at Windsor, and often reminds me of the lovely colors of the woods near the Flemish farm on a day of successful pheasant shooting.

"I remain, &c."

In his reply Lord Tweedmouth thanks the Emperor for his gratifying confidence, and says that it is certainly true with him and with the great majority of his countrymen that a misunderstanding of his Majesty's intentions is out of the question.

"The era of misuhderstanding," says Lord Tweedmouth, "is closed. It is closed in consequence of the impressions left behind by the days of November."

He remarks jestingly that he has no occasion to feel ill-will toward "the Governor of the drain pipes at Windsor, whose business it is to produce pure ventilation," for, continues he, "to his mishap I am indebted for your Majesty's autographic letter."

Lord Tweedmouth concludes with expressions of deep respect.

BOY FIDDLES HIS WAY HOME.

Boards German Liner with Only His Violin to Help Him Out.

Henry Berchman, a seventeen-year-old son of Harris Berchman, who lives on Fulton Avenue, the Bronx, fiddled his way across the Atlantic on the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

The boy was sent abroad to study the violin three years ago. His father sent him a remittance to come home on the Kaiser, but the money went astray, and the boy, knowing that his parents would expect him home on the Kaiser, boarded the vessel at Bremen.

After the ship was well away from port the lad, carrying his violin, made his presence known on board. He explained to the officers that his father would pay his fare on his arrival, but that if that was not satisfactory he would like to work his way over by fiddling.

Permission was given him to play away, and so as a sort of official fiddler he came across gratis.

TO PRISON FOR PEONAGE.

Seven Missourians Pay Fines from $100 to $5,000 and Go to Jail.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—Seven men from Southeast Missouri, who had been convicted in the Federal court on the charge of peonage, surrendered to United States Marshal Morsey and were taken by him to-day to the United States prison at Leavenworth, Kan.

They were convicted in the United States District Court at Cape Girardeau of having kept negroes in bondage. They applied to the United States Supreme Court, which affirmed the judgments.

The fines range from $100 to $5,000 and the terms of imprisonment from one and a half to three and a half years.

OUST MRS. THAW AND THOMAS.

Couple Asked to Leave the Knickerbocker Grill—Mrs. Thaw's Denial.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Edward R. Thomas were asked to leave the grill of the Hotel Knickerbocker in Times Square on Monday night, owing to the desire of the hotel to avoid notoriety, according to the management.

There was no disturbance when Mr. Thomas was requested to depart with Mrs. Thaw, and even persons sitting near the Thaw table did not know of the incident.

On Monday night when the theatre throngs were pouring into the grill of the Knickerbocker, Mrs. Thaw, dressed in her accustomed blue cloth dress and low collar, appeared with Mr. Thomas. With them was a young man who was not recognized generally. The trio left their wraps with the boy at the door.

Mr. Thomas approached Jules, the Captain, and asked for a table, as he, Mrs. Thaw, and their friend appeared on the landing, which is a sort of platform, on which the eyes of the supper guests are invariably riveted.

Unconcernedly, Thomas led the way to a table in the crowded room and ordered a quart of champagne.

Comments concerning the appearance of the couple were heard on all sides, and James B. Regan, the proprietor, was told of their presence. He decided quickly, and sent his card to Mr. Thomas.

Mr. Thomas came out and Mr. Regan called him to one side.

"You cannot stay here. The lady with you is attracting too much attention," he said.

"Very well," said the young man quietly. "We would like to finish our champagne."

Mr. Regan replied: "Do that, then, but don't stay. We cannot have it. Don't order any supper."

Humiliated by this rebuke, Mr. Thomas returned to his table and whispered the news to Mrs. Thaw. After the trio had sipped from their glasses, they walked out quickly.

Last night Mrs. Thaw, who is living at the Hotel Prince George, denied that she was the young woman who figured in the incident, and said that she has a "double" named Miss Lorraine, who imitates her closely. Mrs. E. R. Thomas is now in Europe.

A ROOT NOTE ON MANCHURIA.

Secretary to Make Plain American Views on Russian-Japanese Activities.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—It was made known at the State Department to-day that Secretary Root is preparing to announce the attitude of the United States on the activities of Russia and Japan in Manchuria.

This question has been considered by the State Department for months because of the complaints of American manufacturers that Japan and Russia were closing the Manchurian markets against them. It has now been brought to a head by the Russian Government. It has made representations bringing into question the attitude of Fred D. Fisher, the American Consul at Harbin, who, since taking office in January, 1907, has refused to recognize the Czar's administration in Manchuria. Under their railroad concession the Russians have set up a municipal government in this trade centre, and has claimed many rights of government. Japan has taken similar action in the southern provinces of Manchuria.

Profound interest was manifested to-day in diplomatic circles over the situation which has grown out of the attitude of Consul Fisher. Especially among the representatives of the European countries having commercial connections in Manchuria was the matter a question of paramount importance. It is understood they have supplied their Chancellories with a complete statement of the case as it appears in the American press.

Secretary Root is awaiting certain information from China bearing on various aspects of the concessions given by that country for railroad extension and other purposes and having a bearing on the treaty of 1896, before making a reply to the representations of the Russian Government. When that data arrives the attitude of this Government regarding foreign rights in Manchuria will again be stated.

BAILEY'S LIFE THREATENED.

Senator's Campaign Manager Publishes Warning to His Enemies in Texas.

Special to The New York Times.

DALLAS, April 1.—The special primary election campaign to determine if United States Senator Bailey shall be elected on May 2 as a delegate at large to the National Democratic Convention has become extremely bitter, and there are fears of bloodshed.

Clarence Ousley, editor of The Fort Worth Record, and State campaign manager for Senator Bailey, to-day prints an earnest warning to the enemies of Senator Bailey. After reviewing the assassination of Presidents Lincoln, Garfield, and McKinley, and the recent killing of W. D. Stevens by Koreans in San Francisco, the warning is introduced as follows:

"Circumstances which cannot be recited in detail, and which need not be recited for the purpose of this expression, foreshadow developments in the pending political campaign which, if not averted, will disgrace Texas."

He says among other things: "Within the last ten days two men have been heard to declare that Senator Bailey ought to be killed, and one of them, in a public restaurant, in the hearing of several persons, said that he would be glad to pay the expenses of any man who would do the deed.

"It is impossible, perhaps, to prevent bitter speeches or to curb high feeling, but it is possible to control situations so as to forbid violent expressions and conduct, and to this end, from considerations of patriotism, State pride, and social order, we admonish all concerned."

250,000 MINERS OUT.

Men in Bituminous Coal Fields Idle Because of Wage Disagreement.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 1.—Bituminous coal miners numbering 250,000 are idle to-day on account of the failure of the United Mine Workers of America and the coal operators to agree upon a wage scale to go into effect to-day.

District meetings are being held in an effort to reach an agreement in the various States, and it is believed the strike will be of short duration.

At the international headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America to-day Vice President Thomas L. Lewis of Ohio succeeded John Mitchell as President of the organization.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—Unlike the situation in the soft coal fields, where thousands of men are idle because of wage disagreements, conditions in the anthracite fields of Eastern Pennsylvania, so far as employment is concerned, are growing better, and the prospects for steady work are brighter than they have been in six months.

The Reading Company is making active preparation for the resumption of mining at its collieries to-morrow, after a shut-down of several weeks.

STUDENT DUCKED; RUN OUT OF COLLEGE

Henry Block Thrown Into Fountain of N. Y. University and Told Never to Return.

A DETECTIVE GUARDED HIM

He Also Carried a Revolver and Would Not Conform to Student Customs —Faculty Investigating.

Out from a group of students gathered around the fountain of New York University, just after chapel time yesterday morning, leaped a dripping, chattering, screaming figure. It darted at top speed across the campus, traversed the Hall of Fame in a few bounds, and disappeared down the wooded slopes of University Heights toward the railroad station on the Putnam Division of the New York Central. It was Henry Block, College, '11, leaving New York University, and behind him rang the cheers of his classmates.

There was not a student in New York University last night who would say that he hoped Block would return. The members of Block's own class, as well as the members of the three older classes, were unanimous in declaring Block to be unpopular. But they were all a little nervous over the action which may be taken by the Faculty as a result of their actions. There was a meeting of the Faculty yesterday afternoon, but the result of the conference was not made public.

Block was driven out of college by his classmates. He was leaving chapel yesterday morning when seventy or more grabbed him, rushed him to the fountain, and flung him, hat, clothes, and shoes, into the cold water. Then they yanked him out, sputtering and shivering, and started him on the run off the campus, ordering him never to return.

Block had intentionally failed to comply with every freshman custom since he entered college last September. He drove up in an automobile, and several sophomores, solicitous for the comfort of the freshmen, made a mental note of the fact. A day or two later a half dozen sophs escorted Block toward the fountain.

"There wasn't any good explaining to Block that it was a time-honored custom," said one of the six last night. "He drew a revolver and pointed it at us. We let him go then, but we caught him without the gun a day or two later and started him again for the fountain. That time he broke away and ran into Chancellor MacCracken's office. The next day 'Chance' gave us a rousing old talk in the chapel. Told us what a manly fellow Block was, and how brave it was not to fight under such great provocation. Poor Block, that was the only time I ever felt sorry for him while I was listening to 'Chance.'"

The freshman class brought Block up on trial after this and voted to give him a chance to redeem himself. Instead Block hired a detective to follow him about, said his classmates last night.

On Friday two weeks ago the tip was passed around that Block was to attend a gymnasium meet, and a score of college men hired an automobile, intending to kidnap the freshman and persuade him to leave college. Block was guarded by the detective, however, so the plan failed.

Then the student body, of which Arthur H. Sherin is President, took a hand in the matter and wrote a letter to Block's parents requesting them to withdraw him from college. On the advice of the faculty the letter was not sent and Block continued to attend classes.

The hotter heads among the students, however, determined to take the matter into their own hands without waiting for action by the faculty, and the ducking resulted. Sherin and Arthur Young, President of the junior class, were called before the faculty immediately. Neither had had a hand in the ducking, however, and could give the faculty little help. Neither were they able, on leaving the meeting, to tell their anxious comrades what action would be taken. The students are firm, however, in the intention not to allow any single man to be punished, declaring that the action of the few represented the sentiments of all.

Block lives in Ninety-seventh Street, near Madison Avenue. It is said that he already has a suit for $10,000 against a fellow-student who compelled him to rub down the gym team after an hour in the gymnasium one day, and it is expected that he will bring more suits.

According to several students, Block's trouble might have been avoided had he been able to enter Columbia, as he tried to do in January. Illness prevented, however, and Block returned to University Heights.

PROCESS SERVER ATTACKED.

Police Say Saloon Man Beat Him with Hammer—Likely to Die.

Charles Neu, a florist of 74 Bay Thirteenth Street, Bath Beach, served a summons in a civil suit on George Stivers, a saloon keeper, in the latter's café, at Bay Nineteenth Street and Bath Avenue, last night. According to the police, Stivers took the summons and then threw a bottle at Neu. Neu ducked, and the police say that Stivers then shot at him with a revolver, the bullet shattering a plate glass window.

Neu ran for his life, and Stivers followed, according to the police, with a heavy hammer. Neu dodged into a saloon three blocks away and Stivers followed and threw three pool balls at him, according to bystanders.

Two of the balls hit Neu and he fell unconscious. The proprietor told the police that he ran in and saw Stivers beating Neu over the head with the hammer. He said he threatened to shoot Stivers if he struck Neu again. Then Stivers ran out and escaped.

Dr. Meeker took Neu to the Kings County Hospital and said he could not live as his skull had been fractured. The police are looking for Stivers.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE CAUTIOUS

The Gallery Closed to Visitors as a Precaution Against Anarchists.

The gallery of the New York Produce Exchange was closed to visitors yesterday for the first time on a business day since the big trading floor was opened, twenty years ago.

As told in THE TIMES yesterday morning, all of the stock and commodity Exchanges in the city have now shut out the public from the galleries which overlook the trading floor in each Exchange. Men of prominence in the financial district have grown callous to threatening letters which come to them in good times and bad, but there has been a good deal of nervousness this Spring, which was accentuated by the attempt of Silverstein to throw a bomb in Union Square.

CARDINAL GIBBONS'S DENIAL.

Says He Never Expressed Himself on Race Track Gambling.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, April 1.—Cardinal Gibbons to-night emphatically repudiated having expressed himself in relation to race track gambling. He declared that he had a talk with Mr. Oxnard, but said the views he expressed were with reference to the liquor question only and had no bearing at all upon horse racing.

They were the same views he had expressed during the recent campaign in the Maryland Legislature on the local option bill. The Cardinal seemed to be much provoked over the use made of the interview.

COL. CODY VERY ILL.

Famous Scout in Chicago Hotel Suffering with Nervous Breakdown.

CHICAGO, April 1.—Col. William F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill") is seriously ill at the Stratford Hotel. Col. Cody arrived to-day on his way from New York to his home in Cody, Wyo., and at once sought the services of a physician.

Dr. A. Baxter Miller found that Col. Cody is suffering from a general nervous breakdown caused largely by a recent attack of grip. If pneumonia does not develop he may be able to resume his journey in about a week.

COUNTESS SZECHENYI BETTER

Count Delighted with America, but Complained of Section of the Press.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VIENNA, April 1.—Countess Széchényi has very quickly recovered from her throat affection, favored by the Spring weather.

She left Vienna with her husband to-day and arrived at Budapest to-night. The Count expressed to friends here his delight with his American experience and his cordial reception, but complained of his bad treatment by a section of the press.

SUDDENLY STRICKEN BLIND.

Robert C. Brown's Sight Leaves Him in a Billiard Game.

Robert C. Brown, the dean of all the guests of the Astor House, and one of the "Old Guard," which in former days made that famous old downtown hostlery its headquarters, has been sticken blind. The blow came without warning, and yesterday his many friends were shocked to learn of the plight of their old friend.

Dr. Arthur L. Root found that Mr. Browne's optic nerve had been affected by a slight stroke of apoplexy which had completely deprived him of sight. Strange to say, the stroke had not affected any other part of his body.

PRINCESS BADLY HURT.

Sister of the King of Saxony Is Thrown from Her Horse.

DRESDEN, April 1.—Princess Mathilda of Saxony, sister of King Frederick August, met with a serious accident while riding in the meadows outside the city to-day.

She was thrown from her horse and her right collarbone was broken and her shoulder severely bruised.

THREE NEW SUN SPOTS.

Two Are Each 8,000 Miles Across, Reports Father McGeary.

MILWAUKEE, April 1.—The Rev. Father McGeary, Professor of Astronomy at Marquette University, this city, to-day reported having recently observed three new sunspots through a new telescope at the university.

Two of the spots are estimated to be 8,000 miles across, or large enough to drop the earth into.

LOCAL OPTION BILL KILLED.

Assembly Excise Committee Votes Not to Report the Gray Measure.

ALBANY, April 1.—The City Local Option bill was practically killed for the session this afternoon by the Assembly Committee on Excise, which, by a vote of 6 yeas to 7 nays, defeated a motion to report the bill.

The bill, introduced by Assemblyman Gray of St. Lawrence, would have extended to whole cities the privilege, now enjoyed by country towns throughout the State, of local elections as to permitting traffic in liquor.

YALE TO TEACH BUSINESS.

The University to Adopt Courses in Commercial Methods.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 1.—Yale has yielded to the current demand for university courses in commerce and business. It has been decided to give twenty-seven electives in the graduate school next year under a common head, which shall embrace a department of business methods. The group of studies will include banking, insurance, railroads, and commerce.

Some of the courses already announced are "Commerce and the Commercial Policy in the Nineteenth Century," "Corporation Economies," "Morals in Modern Business," "Problems in Business Management," "Trade Statistics," and "Forest Management Abroad and in the United States."

Several courses in the commercial side of practical forestry will be given by Gifford Pinchot, the National Forester.

SOOTHING SYRUP KILLS TWINS

Parents Gave Only Five Drops to Their Babies—Coroner Investigates.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 1.—Twin babies, a boy and a girl, children of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ackerknecht of 421 West Central Avenue, died to-day victims of soothing syrup poisoning.

The parents told a physician who was called in that they had given the babies only five drops of the medicine. The Coroner is making an investigation.

Spencer Auto Hits a Child.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., April 1.—The automobile of Mrs. Lorillard Spencer ran over a little girl to-day. The child was but little hurt. Mrs. Spencer brought a doll to her this morning.

MRS. A. G. VANDERBILT SUES FOR DIVORCE

Papers Probably Served on Husband Before He Sailed and Left with County Clerk.

DAVID McCLURE REFEREE

Pair Separated Only Recently, but the Trouble Between Them Is of Long Standing.

It became known yesterday afternoon that Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt, wife of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, has begun proceedings against her husband. The exact nature of the suit has not been made public, but it was said at the County Court House by an official that just after the closing hour at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a clerk from the office of the law firm of Carter, Ledyard & Milburn, 54 Wall Street, counsel for Mrs. Vanderbilt, attempted to file the summons and complaint in an action brought by her for absolute divorce.

The circumstances were these: Supreme Court Justice O'Gorman signed an order late yesterday afternoon appointing David McClure of 22 William Street referee to take testimony in the suit between Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt. After the order was signed the clerk who presented it in court hurried to the County Clerk's office for the purpose of filing it.

It was just 4 o'clock. As he handed it to the comparing clerk the latter took the order and also a copy. The copy has to be certified before being served on the defendant. By the time the comparison had been completed and the document presented for filing the hour of closing struck and the receiving clerk refused to file it.

It was officially stated that the papers were not on file. It is probable that the papers spent the night in the big office safe, and that they will be filed the first thing this morning. Neither the clerks in the County Clerk's office nor the lawyers were inclined to discuss the matter.

Referee Notified by Telephone.

Mr. McClure was notified of his appointment as referee over the telephone, but when seen at his home, 22 West Forty-ninth Street, last night, he said that so far he had received no official notice of his appointment.

"As a lawyer," said Mr. McClure, "my duty is to obey the commands of the court, and I suppose that, counting on my obedience, the court did not officially notify me. I do not even know the nature of the proceedings."

Justice O'Gorman, while admitting that he had signed an order of some sort in the case, declined to discuss it. A similar attitude was taken by H. B. Anderson of the law firm of Anderson & Anderson of 15 Broad Street, counsel for Mr. Vanderbilt. When seen at his home, 507 Madison Avenue, last night, Mr. Anderson, in response to an inquiry as to whether the suit was for an absolute divorce, said:

"I decline to comment on it at all. You can hardly expect me to talk about the affairs of a client."

Inquiry at the home of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt for any information as to the whereabouts of her daughter-in-law, or as to the marital troubles of her son, met with the reply: "Mrs. Vanderbilt has nothing to say."

Amos French Tuck, Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt's brother, also refused to discuss the matter last evening.

For some months past rumor has been busy with the domestic affairs of the Alfred Vanderbilts, but it was not until recently that the rupture between the young pair became so strained that Mrs. Vanderbilt left her home in Newport, taking her belongings, while Mr. Vanderbilt announced his intention of going to Europe. He sailed yesterday on the Cunarder Mauretania. It is probable that before going he was served with the papers in his wife's suit.

Mr. Vanderbilt Silent.

When seen shortly before sailing yesterday Mr. Vanderbilt refused to discuss the matter of his marital troubles. He traveled with his cousin, the Duchess of Marlborough, and to the reporters who questioned him responded smilingly, but would only say, "I have nothing to say."

Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Ellen French, though she was generally known as "Elsie." She is a daughter of the late Francis Ormond French. She married Mr. Vanderbilt on Jan. 11, 1901, at St. John's Church, Newport, and there is one child, William Henry Vanderbilt, who was born Nov. 24, 1901.

Alfred Vanderbilt has latterly spent much of his time away from his wife, who has lived chiefly at their farm at Portsmouth, near Newport. They have never had a town house, always living in hotels or apartments. Since the opening of the Plaza Hotel Mr. Vanderbilt has found a home there when in the city.

In 1903 there were rumors of trouble between them. These rumors have been more frequent since Mr. Vanderbilt's return from England.

Suit a Surprise to Wife's Friends.

Mr. Vanderbilt is a great lover of horses, and it is said that this has in no small measure contributed to the widening of the breach between him and his wife. Last year he went over to London perhaps half a dozen times in connection with the International Horse Show, which was held at Olympia in June, but on none of the trips did his wife accompany him. His present trip to England is, ostensibly, for the purpose of driving his coach Venture between London and Brighton during the season.

The news of Mrs. Vanderbilt's suit came as a surprise to her many friends, as it was only a day or two ago that she was quoted as saying that she had not the least intention of applying for either a separation or divorce.

She could not be found last night to give her reason for so suddenly changing her mind. Her definite charges against her husband also remain a secret, and, as the proceedings in the action will be before a referee, it is certain that every endeavor will be made to keep it from the public, as in such cases only the findings are made public, the evidence being sealed.

SENATOR DAVIS FINED.

He Pays $25 for Threatening Official Who Had Beat Him.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 1.—United States Senator Jefferson Davis was fined $25 in police court to-day for disturbing the peace. The fine was imposed because of the Senator's action in getting a pistol and appearing on the street yesterday after he had been attacked and beaten by Thomas Helm, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney. The Senator is said to have threatened to shoot him.

Helm was fined $10 for assault.

DE SAGAN GAINS GOULD RECRUITS

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gould Call on ex-Countess and Howard Gould Sends Flowers.

THE PRINCE IS ELATED

He Speaks Somewhat Bitterly of George Gould's Attitude and Says He's Not a Fortune Hunter.

The favorable attitude of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gould concerning the proposed marriage of Mme. Anna Gould and Helie de Talleyrand-Perigord, Prince de Sagan, has elated the Prince, and the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Gould stayed for an hour last night in the Hotel St. Regis is interpreted to mean that the family opposition may break down in the face of the determination of Mme. Gould and the Prince.

Yesterday Howard Gould sent a box of roses to his sister, who is still ill, and one telephone communication from Miss Helen Gould suggested that she would call in person if it were not for the notoriety of this step. However, George Gould holds out strongly against his sister, and those who know him say nothing can bend his decided will. Since last Saturday afternoon, when he silenced Mme. Gould peremptorily, she and her brother have not spoken to each other.

Last night some one calling himself the Prince's secretary telephoned to the newspapers that owing to the illness of Mme. Gould she and the Prince had decided to marry in this country in a few days. This the Prince denied, saying he had no secretary and had authorized no one to speak for him.

The Prince was communing over a very long and black cigar in the Café Martin last night. Louis Martin was sitting with him, and when the Prince remained until after the arrival of the supper throng he was the centre of attention. The Prince is unmistakable with his black stock, black velvet waistcoat, and befrilled [illegible]. He said to a TIMES reporter:

"At the hotel many anonymous, scurrilous letters are received. They warn Mme. Gould against me and one alludes to me as a 'frog eater.' Of course, we do not take these communications seriously, but nevertheless they show how quick Americans are to jump at conclusions. Why not let a man explain instead of listening to petty gossip and malicious slander?

"I cannot understand the attitude of M. Gould. It baffles me. Does he ask me to explain my financial position, my views, or these insane stories of my widely advertised past? No, he believes what he heard. Does he consider the source? No, yet those stories have been circulated by Boni de Castellane with the very obvious object of injuring me.

Badly Treated by Goulds, Prince Says.

"When I came to New York it was my full intention to leave a card for M. Gould and Miss Helen Gould. I was advised against this. It was said that I would be the avowed suitor of Mme. Gould, and that was precisely what I most wished to avoid. I did not wish to hasten matters when I arrived. I did not wish to harass Mme. Gould. She was quite occupied with her own complicated affairs. It seems that I have been forced into all this. I did not call on the Goulds, and then I waited. I thought that instead of believing this slander M. Gould would give me a chance to defend myself, to clear my reputation of whatever lies that have been attached to me by Boni. This chance has been denied me, and I stand convicted without a trial.

"I am supposed to be without a sou. That is nonsense. I have an unincumbered property, the Duchy de Sagan, which I will inherit on the death of my father, who is a paretic. This estate consists of 120,000 acres midway between Berlin and Breslau. According to the German law, this estate remains intact, and I derive a certain income, and shall forever. I at least have a home, which is more than can be said of Boni de Castellane, who really had no place to die. I can go to my estate and eat and sleep and be warmed, and nothing can affect these possessions. Therefore, I am not pushed by financial hardships. The Duchy of Sagan was inherited by my great-grandmother, the daughter of the Duke de Courlande."

Mme. Gould and the Prince now believe, it is stated, that the legal status of the former's affairs will permit of their being married at their convenience, in spite of the opposition of the Gould family, without endangering Mme. Gould's income from the estate of her father.

While no official statement could be obtained from the lawyers yesterday, it was learned on excellent authority that Mme. Gould has for some time been acting under advice to this effect from her counsel, Coudert Brothers, who have been her advisers for ten years.

The Prince de Sagan last night made the announcement at the Waldorf-Astoria that he would probably sail next Tuesday on the North German Lloyd liner the Kaiser Wilhelm der Gosse. He said he had not seen Mme. Gould during the day.

Mme. Gould's temperature was somewhat higher in the afternoon, but her physician expects her to be up and about before Sunday.

There developed yesterday further evidence of the break in the Gould family, in an order obtained from Judge Lacombe, in the United States Circuit Court, relating technically to the old creditor's suit of Fischof against Mme. Gould and the executors of her father's will. This order authorizes George J. Gould and Miss Helen Gould, who were appointed in the creditor's action the receivers of the surplus income of Mme. Gould over and above what was required to meet the creditor's allowance, to pay to George Gould $50,000 in Missouri Pacific bonds at 90 to reimburse him for the $50,000 counsel fee he paid to Edmund Kelly, who was one of the counsel for Mme. Gould in her divorce proceedings in France, and the attendant negotiations with her own creditors and those of Count Boni de Castellane. The order also authorizes the payment of $2,000 to ex-Judge John F. Dillon, counsel for the Gould executors, for his services in those matters.

This order, while apparently of a routine character and entered with the consent of Mme. Gould, was taken yesterday as indicating that George J. Gould is winding up all matters undetermined in connection with his management of his sister's affairs.

The firm of Coudert Brothers, according to Lorenzo Semple, one of its members, acted for Mme. Gould long before the complications with the creditors came on. It was learned yesterday that in the five years following her marriage to Count Boni, that spendthrift got away with not only the $3,000,000 in cash that Mme. Gould took with her to the other side, but her entire income of between $600,000 and $700,000 a year, and piled up debts amounting to $5,000,000 in addition.

"There were about 120 creditors involved in the general settlement that was made," said Mr. Semple yesterday. "We have paid all told $3,000,000 to the creditors in installments of $500,000 a year, which is about 60 per cent. of the principal sum due. The Jay Gould estate, I should judge, amounted to about $90,000,000, and Mme. Gould received one-sixth, or about $15,000,000. Her income has been about $700,000 a year, so that she has received $200,000 for her own support.

Mrs. Morse Denies Disagreement.

Edwin A. Jones of Nadal, Carrere & Jones, attorneys, made this authorized statement at the St. Regis last night on behalf of Mrs. Tyler Morse:

"Mrs. Morse has read the interview attributed to her and printed in an evening newspaper that there was a disagreement in the Gould family concerning Prince de Sagan, and that Mme. Gould came to the St. Regis because thereof. Mrs. Morse had no such interview, and made no such statement. From her own information such printed statements are wholly untrue.

"Mme. Gould was taken ill while calling on Mrs. Morse, and has since been unable to leave her room. Mrs. Morse knows of no existing engagement between Mme. Gould and Prince de Sagan, and would not be the person to announce it if it were true."

Mr. Jones further stated that he was authorized by Mme. Gould to say that she has had no disagreement with her family.

Mrs. Morse provided a spectacular procession in Fifth Avenue in the afternoon when she and Mrs. Frank Gould took six children to the Hippodrome. They were the two little daughters of Mrs. Frank Gould, Georges, Boniface, and Jay de Castellane, and Harry Fuller Black. The little girls were dressed in white lace and pink poke bonnets, and their youthful cavaliers ran the gamut of Russian blouses and miniature sailor suits.

Mrs. Morse had an open governess cart, in which the boys sat, with the tutor for the de Castellane children. The mothers followed in two automobiles.

At the Hippodrome the children sat in boxes. At 5:30 all returned to the St. Regis.

WANTS DE SAGAN DEPORTED.

Cincinnati Socialist Tells Roosevelt the Prince Is a Profligate.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 1.—Letters were to-day sent to President Roosevelt and the Commissioner of Immigration by Nicholas Klein, a veteran Socialist leader of this city, in behalf of Cincinnati Socialists, formally requesting that Prince de Sagan, wooer of Anna Gould, be deported forthwith from this country.

"De Sagan is an undesirable citizen," Klein says in the letter.

PLAN 57TH STREET RAILWAY.

Incorporators of New Traction Company Aim to Build a Line There.

It came out yesterday that the plan behind the incorporation of the Hudson & Long Island Traction Company, which was incorporated in Albany on Tuesday with the announced purpose of running a new electric line over Blackwell's Island Bridge, contemplates the construction of a trolley road through Fifty-seventh Street from the East River to Eleventh Avenue, and thence down Eleventh Avenue to the West Shore terminal at the foot of West Forty-second Street. On the Long Island side of the river it is intended to run the road to Jamaica.

The new company, according to several of its incorporators, is in no way related to the existing traction combination, or to any of its subsidiaries, but will be a direct competitor of the New York & Queens County Road, which the Interborough Rapid Transit Company operates on Long Island. The incorporators are Frederick K. Morris, Anthony Stumpf, a publisher, of 22 Pine Street; Arthur C. Hume, a lawyer; H. B. Weaver, C. M. Wicher, H. A. Belden, W. V. Lomax, John J. Clancy, and W. B. Spencer.

SHORT OF HAITIAN LAW.

Giordani Counterfeiting Trial Held Up Till the Minister Can Be Summoned.

The trial of Joseph Giordani, the Haitian revolutionary agent, and H. G. Thomas, the lithographer, under joint Federal indictment for counterfeiting the currency of Haiti, was abruptly held up yesterday when Assistant United States District Attorney Dorr suddenly discovered that he couldn't prove that Haiti had any laws authorizing the issuance of paper money or providing penalties for counterfeiting it. Mr. Dorr tried to introduce into the evidence a copy of the Haitian constitutional laws when it developed that Haiti doesn't print any such thing, but authorizes a private publisher to do so.

Mr. Dorr said he would have the Minister here on Monday and adjournment was taken until then.

THOMAS IS SHIPPED NORTH FROM SEATTLE

Cheering Crowds Wish American Car Luck on the Alaska Trails.

ZUST RACING UP COAST

De Dion Reports at Rhyolite, Nev., and Protos Reaches Evanston, Wyo., After Very Hard 40 Miles.

50TH DAY OF THE RACE.

Car.	Reported.	Time. A. M.	Distance.
*Thomas	Seattle, Wash.	10:20	4836
		P. M.	
†Zust	Santa Barbara, Cal.	3:00	3720
†De Dion	Rhyolite, Nev.	1:00	3119
Protos	Evanston, Wy.	5:00	2460

*Sailed for Valdez, Alaska.
†Going on.

Special to The New York Times.

SEATTLE, Washington, April 1.—The first of the New York to Paris racers has sailed for Alaska. The steamer Santa Clara of the Alaska Steamship Company left its dock at 10:20 this morning bearing the Thomas car to Valdez.

The departure of the American contestant was made the signal of a conspicuous and enthusiastic demonstration. The steamship dock was packed solidly with people eager to see the autoists who would undertake the trip, which experienced miners from the North declare to be impossible. They cheered the four men constituting the Thomas crew to the echo.

Shortly after 9 o'clock George Scheuster, who will drive the car, took the steering wheel, and, with George Miller beside him and Capt. Hansen and George MacAdam on the rear seat, the racing machine started on its way.

The car did not go direct to the wharf, but followed a prearranged route through the city to give everybody a chance to see it. Accompanying the car was an escort of twenty automobiles, while along the route thousands lined the way. At the dock difficulty was experienced in getting through the crowd that blocked the entrance to the steamer.

At last the car was caught up on the crane that was to lift it into the hold of the steamer, and disappeared from sight. When it was raised high in the air with the Stars and Stripes still streaming from the flagstaff at its stern, a tremendous cheer broke forth that was repeated with a will for each of the men who would make the trip.

The four men in their heavy fur coats and motor caps remained at the rail to watch the crowd as the steamer drew slowly out into the Sound.

Seattle people seem not to realize yet that the attempt to cross Alaska is to be seriously made. Yet they realize that a remarkable feat has already been performed by the American car, which has led its foreign rivals all the way across the continent, and they are prepared for anything from the wizards whose pluck made it possible.

George Scheuster especially made a very favorable impression. Small of stature and of seemingly small physical strength he has been the wonder of every one. How he was able to stand the rigors of the Wyoming Winter and the strenuous days when the Thomas fought through mud and snow and rivers, and over mountains and plains they did not understand until they saw him work with the machine.

ZUST RACING UP COAST.

Road Conditions Perfect — Probably Reach San Francisco This Afternoon.

Special to The New York Times.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., April 1.—The Italian car, the Zust, which is second in the race from New York to Paris, arrived here at 3 o'clock this afternoon from Los Angeles, and an hour and a half later left on the coast road to run to Alcatraz before stopping for the night. The road conditions the crew reported as exceptional, declaring that if they continued as good to San Francisco the car would reach there to-morrow afternoon.

The machine made to-day a run of 160 miles in six hours. The car left Los Angeles at 9 o'clock in the morning and ran direct to Saugus and then to the coast. They passed Ventura shortly before 2 o'clock, but decided to make no stop and made the run of thirty miles to this city in exactly an hour. The car appeared to be in the best of condition and able to go on from San Francisco to Alaska with but a short overhauling.

The entire city turned out to give the car an enthusiastic welcome. The Italians here were wildly enthusiastic and arranged a demonstration as hearty as that which Los Angeles gave the car. They arranged a luncheon for the crew, offering to arrange a reception this evening, but the racers were too intent on reaching San Francisco to accept the invitation. After about an hour spent at the table, they set out with a pilot car.

They will follow the old stage route all the way to San José. This leads through the mountains and over the Dibblee Ranch and then through San Luis Obispo, Paso Robles, San Miguel, Soledad, Castroville, to San José. The road then proceeds up the peninsula by way of Santa Clara, Palo Alto, and San Mateo to San Francisco. The car will probably stop in San Francisco two days, and then ship north to Seattle, preparatory to sailing for Alaska.

DE DION REACHES RHYOLITE.

St. Chaffray and Party Were Royally Entertained at Goldfield.

Special to The New York Times.

RHYOLITE, Nev., April 1.—Many automobiles came to the edge of the desert to meet the French De Dion car at Tonopah and conduct it to Goldfield.

The flags of France and the Stars and Stripes cover the cars. The occupants are covered with ribbons and are cheerful. Where are we going? To the City of Gold, a later discovery than Tonopah, an Eldorado three years old.

The entire town has waited for the car since last evening, and the miners are not working. All is excitement. Twenty Frenchmen want to make their reception to the French car as conspicuous as the reception given to the Italian car by thousands of Italians.

And on the other hand, the proprietors and men interested in mines, having an output of $20,000,000 a year, want to treat the French car on the same footing as the Thomas car. A banquet and a band are prepared. The Hotel Casey, a big and rich building, is converted into a ballroom.

Beautiful ladies in green and white ball gowns worth thousands of dollars are present.

It is with wishes of good luck and the most expressive kindness that they will make this night one of the most sleepless that the New York to Paris racers have encountered in their abnormal trip. Speeches and toasts are the order, and the ordinary accompaniment of a banquet.

Still, the proprietor of one of the wealthiest mines asked the contestants to stop one day more in Goldfield and to come to his mine, adding that each of the crew would have the right to carry in his pockets or any way that pleased him as much gold ore as he could bear. This means 20,000 francs, the value of said ore being high.

But the contestants could not spend one day more in Goldfield.

They are New York to Paris contestants. They did not stop. Their duty is to go further. The De Dion is rolling on gold stone. They are miserable things. The ore is black and seems to be bad for tires. Quartz mixed with gold can cut rubber. We keep samples of ore and go far away.

On the road we meet poor men armed with guns and driving in front horses loaded with provisions. These vagrants are prospectors, searching claims. They will find one and put blocks of stone in places around it with their names. They will then go to the next town and register their claims. After this they will have to buy machinery to work the claim. This is the trouble.

Companies will be asked to make money and help. It will tell you how to make money when you have only a pen and white paper. It is easy. You make 1,000,000 shares of one dollar, then you advertize your discovery and the claims, and sell at 5 cents or 10 cents as many shares as you can.

The beginning of a company started with 5-cent shares has sometimes given sufficient money to work the claim. In fact, money is scarce in the country of gold, and 5 cents can do very much in shares.

When the ore proves to be satisfactory, the 5-cent shares are worth $100. It is a paying gamble.

G. BOURCIER ST. CHAFFRAY.

PROTOS AT EVANSTON, WYO.

Lieut. Koeppen Hopes to Get Into Ogden To-night.

Special to The New York Times.

EVANSTON, Wyoming, April 1.—The German car Protos arrived here this afternoon at 5 o'clock, after a forty-mile run over the worst stretch of road which the car has yet had.

The crew, however, was quite exhausted on the arrival here and determined to stop for the night. To-morrow morning the car will go on at dawn in the expectation of making Ogden by night. The road between here and Ogden is somewhat improved since the two leaders passed it, and should be much easier than the stretch through which the car just came.

Lieut. Koeppen expressed the greatest relief when informed that another day would take him out of Wyoming and into territory where he might expect fairly good roads all the way to San Francisco.

GERMAN LINER IN NEW DRESS.

Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse Here for First Time Since Last October.

The North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse arrived yesterday from Bremen wearing a new dress. This is her first appearance here since last October, when she broke down at sea, and Capt. Polack took her, rudderless, half way across the Atlantic. She has been in the hands of the shipbuilders since that time. Not only has her stern been rebuilt and strengthened, but she has been redecorated. The great dome over the dining saloon is gone, and on the deck above has been built a ladies' room and lounge. Eight new staterooms have been added amidships, and the long tables in the saloon have been replaced by small ones.

On the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse were:

Miss Maria Lydia Winkler, who comes over with a commission signed by the Emperor to study conditions so far as they affect the sending and admission into this country of young women for illegal purposes; Mrs. Susan Brooke Rutherford, Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Major A. Montgomery, Harrison W. Ott, Mrs. R. S. Price, Charles Henry Schmidt, Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Mrs. Henry M. Whitney, and the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Willingham of Richmond, Va.

Dr. Friedrich Fischer, General Secretary of the Society of Fisheries of Germany, was on the Kaiser. He will return on the same steamer, taking with him 250,000 eggs of the rainbow trout to stock the German streams. Some thirty years ago, 300,000 of the eggs were taken to Germany, but now the trout are so thinned out that it was thought advisable to restock the streams.

Joy Line Steamers to Use Pier 20.

The pier formerly used by the line having been destroyed by fire, the steamers of the Joy Line for Boston, Providence, and Worcester will sail each weekday henceforth at 5 P. M. from Pier 20, East River, foot of Peck Slip.

Ban on Live Easter Chicks.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals notified various dealers yesterday that it would be a violation of law to sell newly hatched chickens as Easter gifts.

Twice Aground Same Day.

The big Austrian freighter, Carolina, which went aground Tuesday night off Fire Island and got off yesterday morning without damage, went aground a second time later in the day off the end of Pier 7, North Rievr. Her ten passengers were taken off in a tug.

SENATE 26 TO 23 AGAINST BETTING

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it, but it was sent to the third reading without discussion.

Senator Agnew moved to substitute the Hart bills temporarily laid on the table, for the Agnew bills just advanced, but Senator Grady made a point of order, and action was deferred until to-morrow.

KEENE WILL STILL RACE.

Will Do It in This Country—Consternation Among Racing Men.

The news that the amendment keeping the Hart-Agnew bill from becoming operative until Sept. 1 had been lost in the Senate by a vote of 26 to 23 spread consternation last night in the ranks of the racing men in New York, especially those who take the betting end of the game. These men generally believed the vote a test, presaging a speedy passage of the anti-gambling measure.

The Jockey Club has already gone on record as saying that it will keep its word to horsemen and run off the stake events even at a loss. An official of a racing organization said racing without betting would be had as an experiment. If it was found that racing under the new law did not pay, then the gates of the tracks would be closed.

James R. Keene has been ill at the Waldorf, and he has not taken an active part in the fight against the measure in the last two weeks. He said last night that he did not know what effect the passage of the bill would have, and he did not care to discuss it. He was asked whether he intended to take his entire string to England, and he replied that he did not.

"I intend to race here," he said.

In reply to a question as to whether racing had attained sufficient popularity to subsist without betting he replied that in his opinion the game had not reached a point where it would be self-supporting.

FOR DAMS OUTSIDE PARKS.

Knapp Resolution for Water Storage Is Favored by New York Merchants.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—An amendment to the Constitution permitting the building of storage dams and reservoirs in the forest preserve is proposed in a resolution introduced to-day by Senator Knapp. The plan contemplates the storage of water outside of the limits of the Adirondacks and Catskills Parks, which are still to be protected as wild forest lands.

The Knapp resolution is favored by the Merchants' Association and other bodies of New York which last year successfully fought the Merritt amendment which permitted the storage of water in the State parks without restriction.

For Telephones in Subway Stations.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—The Assembly Committee on Gas, Electricity, and Water Supply to-day reported favorably the bill providing for telephone pay stations in Subway stations.

Block Spanish Veterans Amendment.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—In the Assembly to-day the proposed constitutional amendment giving Spanish War veterans an advantage of ten points in civil service examinations was taken from the calendar and recommitted. Opponents of the amendment believe that this action virtually kills it.

R. C. OGDEN HEADS TAFT CLUB

Organization Would Force Secretary of War's Nomination on Second Ballot.

The Taft Organization in this city held a meeting yesterday and elected officers. Robert C. Ogden was elected President, George E. Ide Vice President, and William Barnum of Harvey, Fisk & Sons was made Treasurer. Arthur Gibb, Charles A. Conant, and Frank J. Price were elected additional Vice Presidents. There will be twenty or thirty other Vice Presidents later on as branches are established throughout the State.

Charles Boynton, one of the Executive Committee, denied that the organization had any "attachments" and said that Secretary Cortelyou had nothing whatever to do with it. Louis C. Hay, Chairman of the Executive Committee, said the object of the orgainzation was "to awaken the dormant Taft sentiment in the State" and to "force" Taft's nomination on the second ballot.

HAD $45,600 WHEN ARRESTED.

Italian Railway Official Who Stole $93,200 Was Coming to America.

CHERBOURG, April 1.—Detectives to-day arrested Allexandro Giometto, an Italian railway official, as he was boarding the White Star Line steamer Teutonic for New York. Giometto is charged with the robbery of $93,200 by breaking in a glass window in the railroad station at Chiasso, a town of Switzerland on the Italian frontier.

Gold to the amount of about $30,800 was found in the man's valises, and $14,800 in banknotes were discovered wrapped about his body. He was accompanied by a young Italian woman, with whom it is alleged he was eloping to the United States, having abandoned his family in poverty in Switzerland.

Mother and Five Homeless.

A young woman who said she was Mrs. Rebecca Lukoss walked into the Brownsville Police Station in East New York last night. She was crying bitterly and carried an infant in her arms and was leading four children. She asked to be detained, as her husband had disappeared, and she had no home. She was put into

Trust Companies May Unite.

Financial circles in Brooklyn were interested in a report yesterday afternoon that the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of Manhattan was seeking an alliance with the Franklin Trust Company of Brooklyn. It was said that the Manhattan institution was negotiating for the purchase of stock of the Brooklyn company.

Hammerstein Will Have to Pay Duty.

The Board of General Appraisers decided yesterday afternoon that Oscar Hammerstein will have to pay 50 per cent. ad valorem duty on six marble pedestals which he brought from Italy. When he brought them here Mr. Hammerstein declared them as statuary, and said he would pay only 15 per cent. He furnished a bond, and will now have to pay 50 per cent. to keep the statues.

Conference on Industrial Education.

A conference on industrial education will be held to-morrow evening at 50 East 125th Street, with Supt. Maxwell and Messrs. Samuel B. Donnelly and Frederic R. Coudert of the Board of Education among the speakers. Associate Supt. Straubenmuller may return from his inspection of the Milwaukee Trade School in time to participate in the discussion.

No Rise in Soft Coal Here from Strike.

Soft coal operators here said yesterday that the strike of the miners in the Pittsburg district would not affect the prices in New York.

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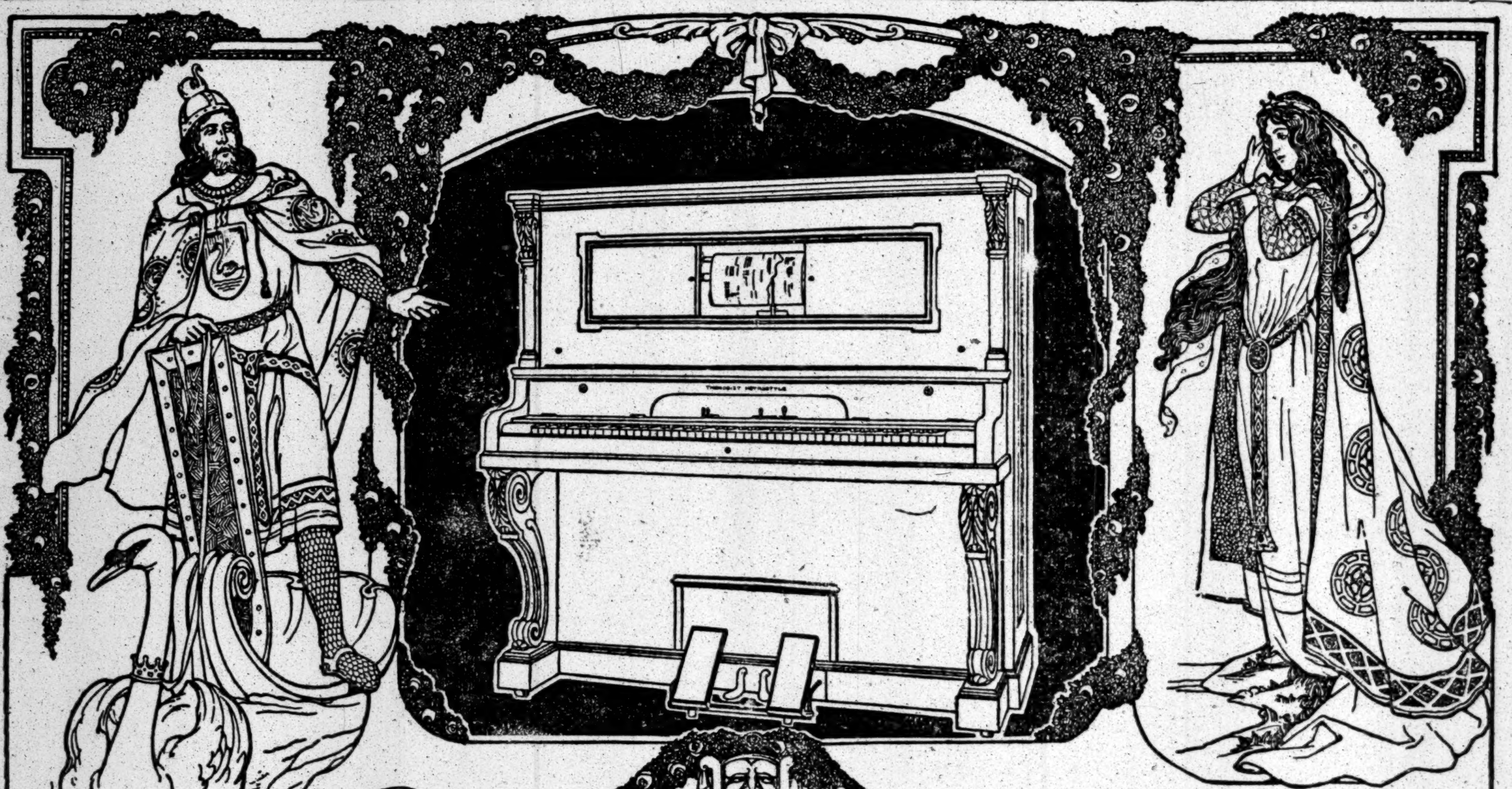

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BINGHAM REJECTS 22 MEN.

Disappointed Probationary Policemen Threaten to Appeal to Courts.

Police Commissioner Bingham yesterday rejected twenty-two probationary patrolmen when they reported at Headquarters for regular police duty. Their rejection was a complete surprise to the men.

All of the twenty-two men dropped had given up other jobs to become policemen, and had purchased full equipments, including uniforms at $45 each, and revolvers, belts, night sticks, and caps, making in all an expenditure of $65.50 each.

It was said at Headquarters to-day that the men rejected had received pay for their thirty days of probation. It was understood that the rejected men will contest the matter in the courts. The fact that they were all passed as physically fit by the Civil Service Board and police surgeons is regarded as a point in their favor.

Nurses Out on Strike.

The New York Red Cross Hospital at 100th Street and Central Park West is facing a crisis. Nine of its fourteen nurses resigned the other day, its only interne is gone, the housekeeper and maid have resigned, and it is said that the cook and scrub woman are about to leave.

Dr. A. M. Lesser, Chief Surgeon, says the nurses went on a sympathetic strike following the dismissal of Miss O. D. Smith, head nurse, and that Dr. Alfred Levy, the interne, was not satisfactory and so was asked to go.

PLEA BY ARCHBOLD FOR STANDARD OIL

Says the Country's Newspapers Have Given Too Much Credence to Its Enemies.

WELL CONDUCTED, HE SAYS

He Cites Attack on It in a Case Where It Gave Increased Prices to Producers.

Special to The New York Times.

TOLEDO, April 1.—In The Astonisher, a little publication issued by the Toledo Press Club, appeared to-day a defense of Standard Oil, written expressly for this publication by John D. Archbold. The article is entitled "Standard Oil and Press Amenities," and reads:

"That phase of newspaper work which brings the officer of a corporation in touch with the writers of the press is an exceedingly interesting one to me. Unfortunately, when the corporation is, for one reason or another, made the target of many attacks, the demands made by enthusiastic and doubtless conscientious scribes upon one's time are often beyond one's ability to honor.

"It is good neither for the newspapers nor the business that an official should be flying into print all the time. Occasionally, too, it is disappointing to find the modest utterance by an official turned into a veritable 'astonisher' by the time it reaches the public, decked out, perhaps, with headlines that carry the already overstrained legend into the realm of the incredible. Partly this results on the enthusiasm getting the better of the conscientiousness; partly on the haste in getting out a daily paper, and partly also, I fear, from an impatience with facts which it takes some trouble to co-ordinate mentally.

"Notwithstanding all this, I have made most pleasant acquaintances among the newspaper fraternity men, who took pains to understand, men careful to express only what they were told, men of skill and honor.

"At the storm centre of many litigations pressing for the substance, and even aimed at the life of the Standard Oil Company, the greatest need that I find is an understanding by the press of the country of the company's position. I am sure that many mistaken judgments would be corrected and the company vindicated were even a small portion of time of animadverters and assailants given to the merits of the question at issue.

"To adopt unquestioned the opinions of Standard Oil's enemies and rivals is surely not a commendable method. In such a simple matter as the recent advance in the price of crude Ohio and Indiana oils, who would expect that newspapers would put down to corporate greed and increase of profits a move that had no other object than to stimulate production at the wells and hence give increased employmen to large numbers of men.

"Yet some Ohio papers treated this voluntary increase in the price which the Standard Oil Company is paying for crude oil as an advance in the face of hard times that will work a great hardship upon many users. No corresponding advance was made in the price of illumination oils. The additional price for the raw material was simply made to bring about a greater supply of Lima and Indiana crude, to encourage drilling for oil, because more oil of that kind is wanted, and the company is hence willing to pay more for it.

"I have only to add that we must endeavor to correct such misstatements once made, but how much better to question the company before making a statement of the kind. We have, I believe, a valued defense to every charge made in all the litigations, and we only ask the courtesy that makes against snap judgment. When it is remembered that the discrimination cases prepared after a most minute examination by the Federal Government do not include more than half a dozen out of the 3,000 freight routes in use by the Standard Oil Company, some idea may be had of the soundness of the company's assertion that the vast business of the company is conducted honestly and in conformity with the law.

"JOHN D. ARCHBOLD."

The Astonisher always has some original stunt on the occasion of its annual benefit. The tenth annual was held to-day.

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EARTHQUAKE ROCKED A SHIP.

Recent Mexican Eruption Felt on Panama Liner Monday Evening.

The first news that the recent earthquake in Mexico was felt at sea was reported yesterday by the officers of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's liner Magdalena upon the ship's arrival. Purser A. S. Tucker said: "On Monday night at 9:45 o'clock, without any warning, the ship commenced to rock, and the strange undulating motion continued until early yesterday morning."

The Magdalena brought 175 saloon passengers from the West Indies and Panama, which was a record. Among the passengers were Col. Burrows, Lady Boughey, Lady Chetwoode, Capt. H. Davidson, and the Rev. A. H. Barrow.

Zoo Artist Dead from Gas.

Matthew Myers Van Zandt, 50 years old, an artist employed in the Bronx Zoological Park to paint pictures of birds and animals, was found dead yesterday morning in a room which he rented from Mrs. Ellen Hurley at 880 East 180th Street. Gas was escaping from a jet that was partly turned on. The Coroner said it was an accident. Van Zandt had separated from his wife, who is ill.

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE DYNAMITERS

Capture Four Supposed Black Handers and Find Explosive in Their Flat.

HAD PLENTY OF MONEY

Bank Deposits Amounting to $3,000 and $1,100 in Money Orders—Were About to Quit Country.

In a little flat in the tenement at 300 East Forty-second Street members of Lieut. Petrosino's Italian squad found four Italians yesterday, who, they believe, were preparing to quit this country for their homes in Italy, after having amassed comfortable fortunes here by Black Hand robberies. The prisoners denied knowing anything about four sticks of dynamite the detectives found beneath some clothing in the drawer of a bureau.

The detectives say they also found a bankbook on the Lincoln Trust Company showing deposits of $2,000 in favor of one of the prisoners, and another showing a $1,000 balance in favor of the same man at the Bank of Rome, as well as eleven Post Office money order receipts for $100 each, which were dated March 27.

At Police Headquarters the prisoners said they were Felice Lopez of 300 East Forty-second Street; his brother, Salvatore, of 780 Second Avenue; Stephano Aiello of 335 East Twentieth Street, and Luigi La Cassa of Thirty-ninth Street and First Avenue. Detectives Archiopoli, Bonanno, Cavone, and Michelli think they had something to do with the dropping of a bomb from the roof of Lopez's home on Jan. 5 of last year on the fruit stand of Salvatore Cimolino, at Forty-second Street and Second Avenue. The fruit dealer and a woman named Mary Bailey of 301 East Forty-second Street were badly hurt by the resulting explosion. At the time it was believed that the bomb had been dropped from an elevated train, one having passed the street just as the explosion occurred.

The police found no trace of the bomb throwers until recently, when an anonymous letter was received at the Detective Bureau advising the police that explosives might be found in the flat of Felice Lopez. The detectives found all four of their prisoners in the flat when they went there yesterday.

A small nephew of Lopez's came in while the detectives were questioning their prisoners, and Felice Lopez told him to answer "yes" to every question put to him. The boy replied in this manner for a minute or two, then suddenly said he had found the dynamite in the street and brought it home.

On the way to Police Headquarters, according to Detective Bonanno, one of the men said to him:

"This thing will cost us $1,000 before we get out of it. Now, why don't you fellows just take that for yourselves and let us clear out."

The prisoners will be arraigned in the Tombs Court this morning.

BIG BOND ISSUE IN DOUBT.

Electric Lighting Concern's Financing Up Before Utilities Board.

The Long Acre Electric Light and Power Company which is seeking permission from the Public Service Commission to issue $60,000,000 of securities struck a legal snag at the adjourned hearing on the matter yesterday which may result in the application being denied. The company had issued $500,000 of securities without obtaining necessary approval.

Socialist Meeting to Rap Police.

The Executive Committee of the New York Section of the Socialist Party, which, with the co-operation of the Unemployed Conference, has called a mass meeting at Grand Central Palace for Saturday afternoon to protest against the alleged brutality of the police when they stopped the demonstration at Union Square last Saturday, announced yesterday that Robert Hunter would be the principal speaker.

Albert J. Hoyt Estate Worth $115,768.

Special to The New York Times.

MINEOLA, L. I., April 1.—The accounting of the estate of Albert J. Hoyt to-day shows a total value of the property as $115,768.53. The income from the property is $9,529.22. Anna F. Hoyt, the widow, receives $12,420.49, her commission being $5,116.48.

GRAND JURY "MET." INQUIRY.

Officers in Old Securities Company Called to Explain Transactions.

The Special Grand Jury, continuing its investigation of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company yesterday, called as witnesses to explain various transactions, Edward W. Sayre, Treasurer and Secretary of the old Metropolitan Securities Company; Thomas W. Fowler, once President and Secretary of the Securities Company; A. D. Juilliard and E. J. Berwind, who were Directors; D. C. Moorehead, the Auditor and Controller of the company, who, on a previous occasion, testified to having destroyed its books, and Allen Ryan, a broker, whose firm dealt in Metropolitan stock.

Anthony N. Brady was also called, and George Stephenson Bixby, the lawyer who had acted as vendor to the Metropolitan Securities Company in the purchase of Bronx franchises, and of the Wall and Cortlandt Street Ferries.

In these various transactions the sum of $2,172,357 was expended, which was part of the receipts from the first issue of Metropolitan Securities stock. The greater portion of it went for franchises which were never used.

JACKSON AGAINST VIDAVER.

Appeared as Witness Against Him Before the Grand Jury.

Nathan Vidaver, former Special Deputy of the Attorney General, appeared before Judge Foster in General Sessions yesterday to plead on the two indictments for extortion from William R. Montgomery, which were filed by the Grand Jury on Tuesday.

The indictments reveal the fact that among the witnesses who testified against Vidaver were Moses H. Grossman, who got him into communication with Montgomery, and Attorney General Jackson.

STEINWAY TUNNEL PURCHASE.

Belmont and Shonts See Willcox—Understood Commission Opposes Plan.

August Belmont and Theodore P. Shonts had a conference with Chairman Willcox of the Public Service Commission yesterday, at which the question of the city's purchasing the Steinway Tunnel, in the event of the bill enabling it to do so being passed by the Legislature, was discussed.

It is understood that the commission will oppose the purchase of the property. The commission takes the position that the new Blackwell's Island Bridge, which is shortly to be opened, will do as much for the Borough of Queens as the tunnel could.

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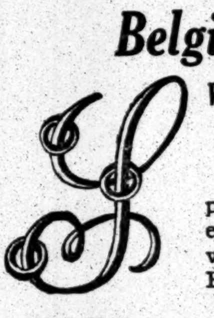

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Political Prisoners Said to be Taken to Country Districts and Shot.

SEARCHING FOR PLOTTERS

Paris Hears American Warships Are Preparing to Land Troops—Washington Denies Any Such Orders.

PORT AU PRINCE, April 1.—A spirit of uncertainty and of unrest still prevails in Port au Prince. The recent futile attempt at a second uprising here, in which Gen. Larraque, Chief of the Cavalry, and several other army officers are alleged to have been implicated, has given the Government a cause for making searches in all quarters of the city, in the hope of finding others they suspect of being involved in the plot.

The French Minister to Haiti, H. Carteron, has recently shown considerable alarm concerning the action the Haitian Government may take against the refugees now in the French Legation. Some of the refugees state that the Minister has advised them to procure pistols and as much ammunition as possible so that they may be prepared to defend their lives. M. Carteron told them he was unable to guarantee protection in the event of an attack upon the legation by Government troops.

The French Minister declined to deny or affirm this statement, but he said that he had made a representation of the case to M. Borno, the Minister of State, pointing out to him the French contention that the giving of sanctuary to the refugees was legitimate.

There are rumors here that summary executions continue in nearby country districts. For a long time past the Government has had a large number of so-called political prisoners in hand, and it is reported that almost nightly some of these are taken from the prisons, transported to the country districts, not very remote from the city, and shot. This the Government vehemently denies.

The French cruiser d'Estrees has not returned here from the Island of St. Thomas, where she went with refugees from Gonaives. The German cruiser Bremen returned yesterday from Kingston, and the United States cruiser Des Moines and the gunboat Marietta are still here, the gunboat Eagle having left two days ago, and the gunboat Paducah having sailed for Guantanamo to-day, where she will coal, later returning to Port au Prince.

PARIS, April 1.—A special dispatch received here to-day from Port au Prince says that the situation there is extremely grave, and that complete anarchy prevails. A dispute is said to have arisen between Gen. Jules Coicou, Chief of the Military District of Port au Prince, and Camille Gabriel, nephew of President Nord, as to their respective power in coping with the situation.

The dispatch declares that American warships are preparing to land troops.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—American intervention in Haiti is regarded by officials of the State Department as one of the most remote consequences of the present domestic disturbances in that island. Official dispatches, which have reached the department from diplomatic and naval sources, do not show that the situation has changed materially or become more grave within the past few days.

The Haitian Legation received to-day from Port au Prince a cablegram stating that quiet prevails there.

MORE SALARY FOR KAISER.

Present Civil List of $3,930,000 Not Sufficient for His Needs.

BERLIN, April 1.—An authentic report is in circulation here that a bill will soon be introduced in the Prussian Diet raising the civil list of the Emperor. This list now amounts to $3,930,000 a year, which is paid the Emperor as King of Prussia and not as German Emperor; the latter position carries no salary.

The explanation offered for raising the list is the increased cost of living, which bears particularly heavy on the royal house because of the large number of children and other persons dependent upon the purse of the monarch.

MARGARITA RECEIVES MORGAN

Italy's Dowager Queen Interested in Hospital Work Aided by Him.

ROME, April 1.—Dowager Queen Margarita to-day received J. P. Morgan and his daughter, Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee of New York.

The Queen entertained them graciously during a long audience and manifested much interest in the maternity hospital which Mr. Morgan has endowed in New York, expressing the hope that a similar institution might be established in Rome for outside work, supplementing that of the hospitals.

IN DEFENSE OF LORD HADDO.

Ireland's Secretary Denies Rumor Concerning Theft of State Regalia.

LONDON, April 1.—Chief Secretary for Ireland, Augustine Birrell, in the House of Commons this afternoon, publicly denied the rumor which has been current in Dublin and other parts of Ireland connecting the name of Lord Haddo, the eldest son of the Earl of Aberdeen, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, with the case of the theft of a portion of the State regalia, valued at $250,000, from Dublin Castle last Summer.

It has been suggested that this was the Government's reason for its refusal to grant a public inquiry into the affair. Birrell stated that the jewels must have been stolen between June 11 and July 6, and he wished to take this opportunity of denying the "cowardly falsehood" connecting Lord Haddo with their loss. He explained that Lord Haddo left Dublin March 7 of last year and lived in Scotland and in London thereatfer until Dec. 11.

MacCracken's Second Lecture.

COPENHAGEN, April 1.—Chancellor MacCracken of New York University delivered his second lecture to-day at the University of Copenhagen, his subject being "Aims in the Twentieth Century." Mr. MacCracken to-night was the guest of honor of the students' association and was the recipient of a very flattering greeting.

Notes of Foreign Affairs.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1.—Following the lead of the legislators at Paris and Washington, fifty members of the Russian Duma today introduced a bill for the increase of their salaries by the extension, through the recesses, of their present sessional compensation of $5 a day.

TOKIO, April 1.—Trade reports which have been gazetted show that America leads with a total of 211,000,000 yen. Of this amount imports were 80,000,000 yen, and exports 131,000,000 yen. China is next to America with a total of 158,000,000 yen. The total Japanese trade for the year amounted to 926,000,000 yen. The balance is somewhat unfavorable to Japan.

LONDON, April 1.—Lord Rosebery has been elected Chancellor of Glasgow University.

VIENNA, April 1.—On account of ill-health Emperor Francis Joseph will abstain from taking part in the customary holy week ceremonies, which include the washing of the feet of the poor.

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MRS. M'KEE TROUBLED FATHER

But Col. Baxter Came to Her Aid When He Heard of Her Unhappiness.

PARIS, April 1.—The feature of the Mrs. A. Hart McKee divorce case to-day was the admittance by M. Dorville, on the part of Col. Baxter, that Mrs. McKee had committed grave faults of quarreling and deception against her father, who, however, had come to her aid when he knew of the situation.

Maitre Labori to-day concluded his argument with a severe arraignment of Mrs. McKee. Instead of marrying his wife for the purpose of robbing his stepson and stepdaughter, as the plaintiff alleged, and trying to induce Col. Baxter to renounce the rights upon her fortune of $800,000, which was held in trust, M. Labori declared it was Mr. McKee who arranged the trust in order to prevent the dissipation of the fortune.

He described the wife as constantly quarreling with members of her family and deceiving everybody. He concluded by stating that Mr. McKee made no charges against his wife's honor.

Armand Dorville, assistant to Maitre Barboux, counsel for Mrs. McKee, appeared in behalf of Col. Baxter, who is being sued by Mr. McKee because of alleged defamatory declarations made by him and published in American newspapers.

M. Dorville pleaded that the French court was not competent to assess damages for the publications alleged to have been inspired by Col Baxter. He denied that Col. Baxter or Mrs. McKee were responsible for the publications, and explained they were the result of the inexhaustible energy exercised by the American newspaper reporters in ferreting out a scandal.

DIDN'T DISCUSS VENEZUELA.

Senate Committee Wishes to Digest the Mass of Correspondence.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Secretary Root appeared before the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations this morning, but the Venezuelan question was not taken up. It developed that the members of the committee did not desire to go into it until they had had time to examine the mass of correspondence submitted to the Senate yesterday.

The committee discussed with Secretary Root some of the treaties which have been negotiated as a result of The Hague Conference last Summer. Only three of these are yet to be considered. One of these deals with the creation of an international prize court. It will not be ratified. It is opposed by some of the members of the United States delegation at The Hague on the ground that such a tribunal would be unconstitutional, its decisions not being subject to review by the Supreme Court.

Campbell-Bannerman More Comfortable

LONDON, April 1.—The bulletin issued this morning regarding the condition of Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is as follows: "The Prime Minister passed a good night and slept well. His general condition is more comfortable."

RAILROAD STRIKES AVERTED.

Trouble on the New Haven Temporarily Halted—Peace on Southern.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 1.—By a vote passed to-day the delegates here representing the car workers and machinists of the New Haven road agreed not to strike before next Monday. The railroad officials postponed for the third time the installation of the piece work system on the road till after that date.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—At 8 o'clock to-night Chairman Martin A. Knapp of the Inter-State Commerce Commission and Dr. Charles P. Neill, the mediators between the Southern Railway officials and their employes, reached an agreement by which the present wage scale on the Southern Railway for all the organizations concerned will be continued until the first of next July.

HAMMERSTEIN'S CUP GONE.

Handsome Gift from Company Just Before He Sailed Mysteriously Vanishes.

Even while Oscar Hammerstein is on the briny deep with Mary Garden and Tetrazzini, his name and fame cannot be forgotten. It was reported last night that the loving cup presented him by members of his company on the occasion of the last performance of the season at the Manhattan Opera House had vanished.

Now, this is a very big loving cup, with a base of oak and some two feet high, for the love of the company was not to be restricted by the space of a smaller vessel. William Hammerstein confirmed the story of the disappearance of the token of esteem. He said that his father had told him to go to the opera house and get it, and take it to the Victoria Theatre for safe keeping. He went to the Manhattan, to his father's private room—but the cup was not to be found.

The question is, who's got the cup? Or did the impresario pack it in his bag and take it along with him, to fill it with good cheer on the other side of the Atlantic?

TOLD LILLEY TO VOTE FOR SUBMARINES

"Didn't Argue with Him," Says F. A. Taylor—"Your Face Before Me When I Voted"—Lilley.

URGED THEM FOR THE NAVY

Taylor Had Shaken His Fist at Representative and Instructed Him How to Vote.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The special committee appointed to investigate charges brought by Representative George L. Lilley against the Electric Boat Company to-day, heard evidence charging that Mr. Lilley's own vote for submarines had been directly influenced by the "instructions" given to him by Franklin A. Taylor, a manufacturer, of Waterbury, Conn., Mr. Lilley's home.

Mr. Taylor testified that Mr. Lilley had never believed in submarines, but that three years ago he had voted for $1,000,000 for submarine construction because he (Mr. Taylor) had told him to do so.

Testifying later, Elihu B. Frost, Vice President of the Electric Boat Company, said that he had heard rumors that the reason why a contract for one boat had been given to the Lake people after their type had been shown inferior to the Electric's product, was because the Connecticut delegation had brought influence to bear on the Navy Department.

After the hearing Mr. Lilley denied ever having been influenced in the matter of submarines, declaring that he was still unconvinced of their efficiency, but had bowed to the superior technical knowledge of the naval experts. He did admit, however, that he had gone with most of the Connecticut delegation and induced the Navy Department to give one contract to the Lake Torpedo Boat Company, in whose behalf the Electric Boat Company officers charge he has brought on the whole investigation.

Mr. Taylor said that he was interested in submarine appropriations because his firm manufactured air tubes used in submarine boats, and he hoped to increase his business should the Government order additional submarines.

"I didn't argue with him about it," said Mr. Taylor, "I told him to vote submarines, and he voted them."

"How do you know this?" asked a member of the committee.

"Because Mr. Lilley came to me afterward and said, 'I voted yea on submarines, Franklin, and your face was before me when I voted.' I have had many talks with him on the subject, the last time being a week ago Saturday. All I remember of that conversation is that he said the Lakes were getting an unfair deal and he intended to put them right."

"Mr. Lilley has testified that a manufacturer of his town had often shaken his fist at him for his attitude toward submarine legislation," said Mr. Stevens for the committee. "Are you that man?"

"I am," replied Mr. Taylor, laughing. "I never miss an opportunity to shake my fist at him jocularly and tell him to vote for submarines." The reply evoked loud laughter in the crowded commitee room.

The other witnesses were Elihu B. Frost, Vice President, and Maurice Barnett, Secretary and Treasurer of the Electric Boat Company. They both denied absolutely having spent funds in any efforts to influence Congress in favor of their boats. He declared that his company did not maintain a lobby in Washington.

Mr. Lilley said to-day that his friendship for Mr. Taylor is unimpaired by the latter's testimony.

"I knew Mr. Taylor very well," he said, "and used to let him and Kellog talk to me just as they pleased. But I never replied to them, and neither of them has quoted me on any point yet. As to our friendship, my wife and I took Taylor to the hearing in our automobile this morning, and we would have gone for a spin together this afternoon if I had not been busy."

There will be another hearing to-morrow morning.

Land Fraud Case on Trial.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The trial of the land-fraud case against Frederick A. Hyde, John A. Benson, Henry P. Dimond, and Joost H. Schneider for conspiracy hatched in this city in 1901 to defraud the United States out of many thousands of acres of public lands in the West began here to-day.

Hearings on the Aldrich Bill.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The House Banking and Currency Committee to-day voted to have public hearings on the Aldrich bill from April 8 to April 15. The merits of the bill were not discussed at the meeting this morning.

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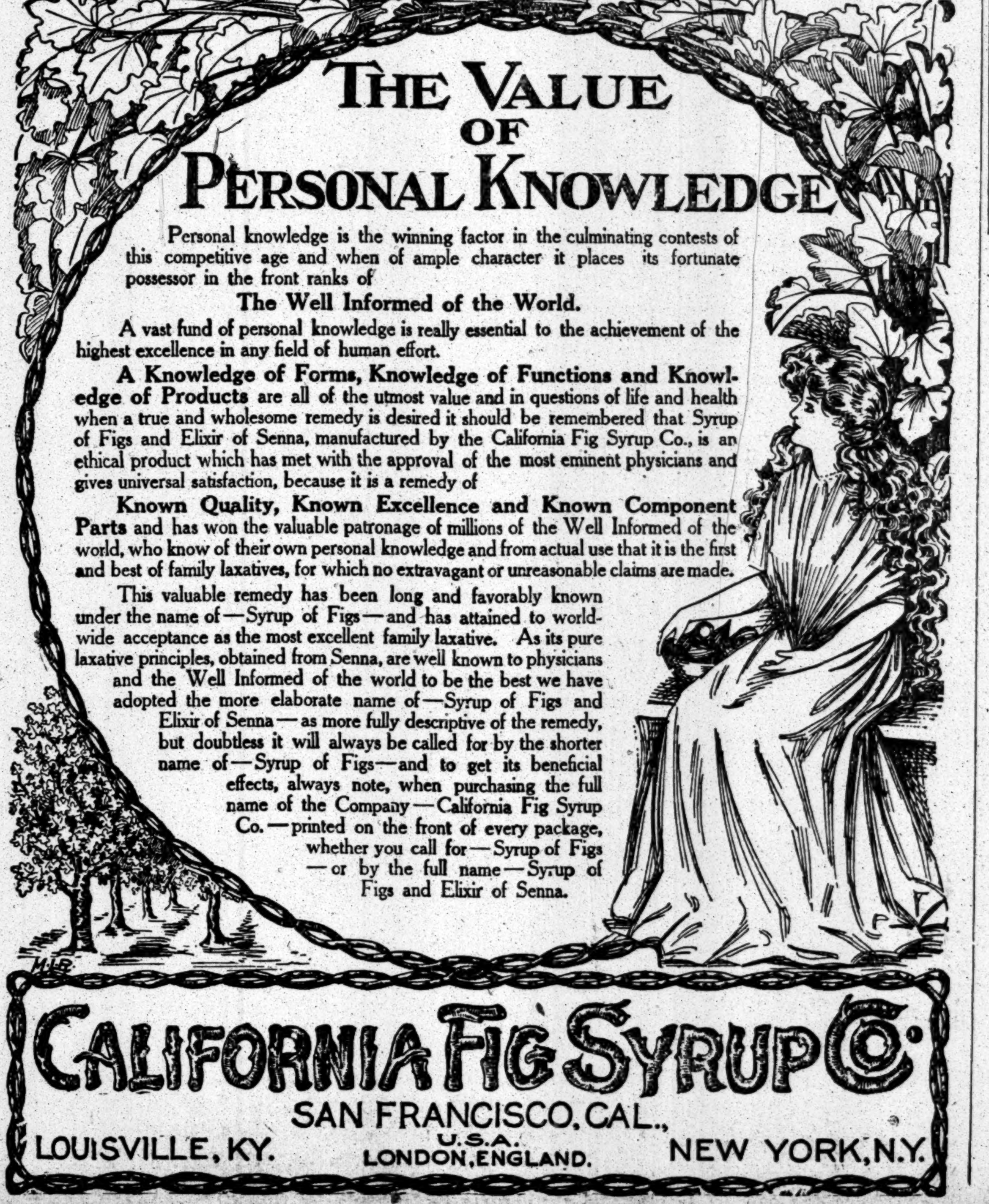

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INDUSTRY CAPTAINS HEAR SOCIALIST TALK

Morris Hillquit Tells Economic Club What His Party Aims to Accomplish.

DOESN'T OBJECT TO TRUSTS

Speaker Wins Applause from Men of Affairs, but Not for His Theory of Ownership.

The influence of Socialistic doctrine upon industry and legislation was the topic discussed last night at the annual dinner of the Economic Club at the Hotel Astor. The Grand Ballroom was overcrowded, and an adjoining room had to be opened for the overflow of members and guests who desired to hear the discussion of the topic.

Morris Hillquit from the east side, member of the National Executive Committee of the Socialist Party, was the dominant speaker of the evening. There were many speakers to combat his views and to argue against them. The members and guests were nearly all anti-Socialists.

The President of the Economic Club is A. Barton Hepburn, President of the Chase National Bank. The Vice Presidents are Francis Lynde Stetson and E. R. A. Seligman. In the company at table were scores of captains of industry.

Mr. Hillquit had abundant opportunity to preach Socialism to a gathering which represented wealth and big financial interests.

"Socialism," said Mr. Hillquit, "does not seek to destroy civilization or to abolish the modern industrial and political system. It merely strives for the nationalization or socialization of all important industries and the collective public ownership of the necessary instruments upon which such industries are based—the land, mines, railroads, factories, and machinery.

"The Socialists claim that the marvelous growth of productivity of labor within the last generation has enabled mankind, for the first time in history, to produce enough to satisfy the reasonable needs of all human beings, and that there is no necessity or justification for the continuance of that widespread poverty, misery, and privation which mar our present civilization.

"The Socialists claim that the system which allows one man, no matter how great or good, to accumulate material wealth enough to last thousands of families through countless generations to come, while innocent babes around him perish for lack of food and air, while sheer privation drives hosts of his fellowmen and women into the paths of crime and vice, is inhuman, irrational, and immoral, and the Socialists strive to change that system."

There was applause for this statement. Mr. Hilquit continued:

"The individual capitalist steadily yields his place in the industrial world to the corporation and the trust, and these combine and consolidate the independent managements of numerous individual concerns under one corporate direction, and reorganize industries frequently on a National and even international scale.

"The irresistible growth of trusts and monopolies is the central fact of all recent economic development, and it is the deathknell of individual competition.

"The Socialists do not combat the trusts, because they recognize the economic necessity of their origin and growth.

"The Socialistic tendency is growing, and growing rapidly, in our industrial and legislative systems, and it is growing in all other domains of our social existence.

"An ignorant scribe in the editorial chair of an up to date newspaper may try to argue it out of existence by silly libels and hysterical denunciations; a superficial statesman may attempt to restrict its growth by reactionary legislation, and a brutal policeman may endeavor to destroy it by physical force.

"In vain Socialism stands for social progress, social justice, and social reason, and progress, justice, and reason cannot be argued, legislated, or clubbed out of existence—they are bound to prevail."

Prof. John Bates Clark of Columbia, Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of The World's Work; Prof. Franklin H. Giddings of Columbia, and Dr. Fredrik Van Eeden were among the other speakers.

FLANNERY NETTED $158,000.

He Admits at Haffen Inquiry That He Made Fat Profit on Land.

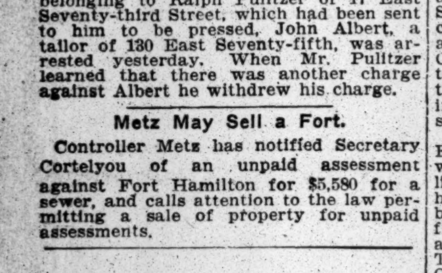
Joseph A. Flannery, who sold the Hunt's Point Park property, in the Bronx, to the city for $252,000, cleared $158,000 almost without turning a hand. This was brought out yesterday at the continuation of the Haffen inquiry before the Commissioners of Accounts in the City Hall. The property was assessed at $2,700.

Pulitzer's $110 Vanished.

Because he denied that he had found $110 in the pockets of a pair of trousers belonging to Ralph Pulitzer of 17 East Seventy-third Street, which had been sent to him to be pressed, John Albert, a tailor of 130 East Seventy-fifth, was arrested yesterday. When Mr. Pulitzer learned that there was another charge against Albert he withdrew his charge.

Metz May Sell a Fort.

Controller Metz has notified Secretary Cortelyou of an unpaid assessment against Fort Hamilton for $5,580 for a sewer, and calls attention to the law permitting a sale of property for unpaid assessments.



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I. D. SANKEY'S SON INSANE.

Believes He Created the World—Wife Sues to Control His Affairs.

Mrs. John E. Sankey, wife of the eldest son of Ira D. Sankey, yesterday applied to Justice Hendrick of the Supreme Court to be appointed a committee for her husband, who is in the Rivercrest Asylum, in Astoria.

In her petition Mrs. Sankey cites the affidavit of the physician in charge of the sanitarium, which describes Sankey as having the hallucination that he is the greatest man living, and also the creator of the world. He believes, also, that he is in command of a ship at sea, and frequently scans an imaginary sea for passing vessels.

Sankey was one of the proprietors of the Orleans Hotel. He is suffering from paresis. His father, now well into the seventies, lives in Brooklyn, and is paralyzed and blind.

Henry E. Frankenberg, counsel for Mrs. Sankey, asked that a jury pass upon the case.

WHY METZ REMOVED MELODY.

Because He Criticised His Administration, He Tells Mr. Goodwin.

Eliot H. Goodwin, President of the Civil Service Reform Association, called on Controller Metz yesterday for information as to the causes which led the Controller to summarily remove Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears William E. Melody from office on Tuesday. The Controller said it was because Melody had criticised his administration.

THEY WORE LITERARY GARB.

Pen and Brush Club Members Give a Unique Costume Party.

At the Pen and Brush Club, 30 West Twenty-fourth Street, last night, a costume party was given by the club, and the authors and artists who were present devised many amusing effects. They suggested books, paintings, and plays, and there was lively guessing as to what work the costumes were intended to portray.

Mrs. Ernest Thompson-Seton, as a very Western cow girl, typified her husband's book, "The Tenderfoot." Miss Gertrude Lynch was a puzzle in an evening gown, and when pressed for the subject she modestly averred that she was "Somehow Good," by de Morgan.

Miss Anna Wynne, the playwright, was Maude Adams as Lady Babbie. Mrs. Mary Heaton Vorse was Sargent's Spanish dancer. Her husband, Albert White Vorse, burlesqued his friend, Emery Pottle, the artist.

Mrs. Muchmore was Thurston's "Masquerader," and Lloyd Osbourne appeared as himself. Mrs. Everett Shinn's gown was decorated with a red mill, under which a bit of silk was placed. The "Mill on the Floss" was the book. Mr. Shinn, the artist, had a boarding house prune suspended from gold chain and hanging on his shirt. He was "Prue and I."

OCEANIC GETS IN LATE.

Many Second Cabin Passengers Decide to Remain Aboard Overnight.

The White Star liner Oceanic, from Southampton, managed to reach her pier last night, but it was not until 10:45 o'clock that the gang plank could be put to her for the first passenger to go ashore. The hour was then deemed so late by most of the second-cabin passengers that they decided to remain aboard overnight.

Among the passengers arriving on the Oceanic was Lady Cook, formerly Miss Tennessee Claflin, who comes here to take part in the suffragette movement. She had been ill during the voyage, and left the pier as soon as possible. She declared, however, that she would do her part in the fight women are making. She went to the home of her friend, Mrs. J. J. Thompson at 137 West 121st Street. She was accompanied on the voyage by her nephew, Millard F. Sparr, who is associated with her in her endeavors.

The Oceanic encountered much rough weather. There was a sudden change of weather from high seas early yesterday morning to remarkably calm water later in the day.

Among the passengers were Col. De Lancey Kane, C. L. Addison, and the Right Rev. Bishop Neely.

FAVOR LIABILITY BILL.

House Committee to Report Measure Along Line of La Follette's.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The House Judiciary Committee to-day agreed to report on Friday an employers' liability bill along the general line of Senator La Follette's bill, already reported in the Senate.

The new bill seeks to avoid the objection raised by the Supreme Court to the former law by the simple expedient of limiting its application to the employes of an inter-State common carrier who are hurt while engaged in inter-State traffic.

TENNIS ENTRIES CLOSE.

Miles, the British Crack, Heads List for National Championship.

Entries for the National amateur court tennis championship, to be played in the court of the New York Racquet and Tennis Club next week, closed yesterday. The Tournament Committee declined to give out the actual entrants, as additional entries may come in from Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago, or Canada. The list, however, is known to include the best amateur racquet wielders in the United States, who will be required to lower the colors of Eustace H. Miles, the former amateur champion, before playing Jay Gould, the present title holder. The latter will not be required to play through the tournament, but must play the winner in the challenge round for the championship.

Eustace H. Miles, who has come from England to regain his title, which was won last year by Jay Gould, will head the list of contestants. Foxhall P. Keene sent his entry from England, and is reported to be on a steamer bound for New York, from Southampton. Keene was the best amateur in America twenty years ago. The other entries will probably include Charles E. Sands, former champion; Payne Whitney, T. A. Havemeyer, and Pierre Lorillard, Jr. The latter has been entered from Tuxedo, while the other American entrants will represent the New York Racquet and Tennis Club.

Yale Football Men Report.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 1.—Capt. Bobby Burch of the Yale football eleven found forty candidates awaiting him when he started Spring practice to-day. He directed the work, Capt. Bigelow of last year's eleven assisting. Bigelow is training with the Yale hammer throwers, and is unable to devote his full time to the football coaching. Capt. Burch said that because of the presence of so many football players in the baseball squad the task of developing a quarterback would not be taken up until Fall and only the new candidates would work this Spring. Haines, the freshman end last season, showed remarkable form in punting to-day.

Folwell and Foster to Wrestle.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 1.—The most remarkable intercollegiate wrestling match ever scheduled was arranged to-day, when Capt. Bob Folwell of the University of Pennsylvania football eleven agreed to meet Graham Foster, the Yale giant guard, here next Saturday night. Folwell, who was formerly intercollegiate champion, was nettled when Foster beat him in a bout held at Philadelphia last Saturday night, and he offered to come here if Foster would give him another chance. Foster accepted, and the match was scheduled for the Yale gymnasium. The men agreed to wrestle to a finish, the winner taking the best two out of three falls. Folwell weighs about 190 pounds and Foster 200. They are easily in a class by themselves as intercollegiate wrestlers.

Hoppe Wins Big Billiard Match.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—The 2,400-point 18.2 balk line billiard match between Willie Hoppe and Jake Schaefer ended here to-night, with Hoppe a winner by a score of 2,400 to 1,195. Hoppe made 400 points to Schaefer's 164 in the afternoon game, and the same number to the Wizard's 125 in the final game. Hoppe's high run was 109 and Schaefer's 45.

Gans Greatly Outclassed Robson.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—Joe Gans, colored champion lightweight pugilist of the world, to-night stopped Spike Robson, the English featherweight champion, in the third round of what was scheduled to be a six-round bout before the National Athletic Club. Gans was nearly ten pounds heavier than his opponent, and his long reach gave him a decided advantage. Robson was dropped for the count early in the third round, and a moment later he was again floored. The referee then stopped the bout.

DALLAS LET DOWN EASY THIS TIME

Southerners Score Only Two Runs Off of Mathewson and McKinney.

COLLEGIANS ON DIAMOND

Columbia, New York, and Manhattan Win Their Games, While C. C. N. Y. Loses to Stevens.

Special to The New York Times.

DALLAS, Texas, April 1.—With Evans playing left field in place of Shannon, and Herzog at third base to give Devlin a day off, the Giants defeated Dallas to-day by a score of 6 to 2.

Mathewson and Bresnahan started the game for New York, but Mathewson figured his game too easy and pitched nothing but straight and easy ones until twice he had himself in a hole, when he resorted to curves, and the Dallas bats were useless. However, they got to him for five hits and one run during the five innings he worked.

McKinney relieved Matty, but was not in form to-day, hitting one batter, giving free transportation to two, allowing five hits and one run, and being unmistakably nervous at various times during his stay on the mound. Bresnahan was forced to work hard to steady him. The score:

NEW YORK.	R	H	PO	A	E	DALLAS.	R	H	PO	A	E
Evans, lf	1	1	3	1	0	Hole, rf	1	3	2	0	0
Tenney, 1b	0	0	7	4	0	Maag, 2b	0	0	2	1	0
Donlin, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Storch, 3b	0	0	1	0	0
Seymour, cf	1	1	1	0	0	Bartliffe, cf	1	1	0	0	0
Bres'h'n, c	1	1	10	3	1	Fletcher, ss	0	1	0	2	0
Herzog, 3b	1	1	2	1	0	Wh't'ker, lf	0	1	1	0	1
Doyle, 2b	2	2	1	2	0	Slattery, 1b	0	1	13	0	2
B'dwell, ss	0	1	1	2	0	Miller, c	0	2	6	4	1
M'th'son, p	0	0	2	1	1	Peters, p	0	1	0	5	0
M'Kinney, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Total	6	7	27	15	2	Total	2	10	24	13	4

Dallas ....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2
New York.........1 2 2 1 0 0 0 0 .—6

Stolen bases—Doyle, (2,) Storch. Two-base hits—Seymour, Herzog, Hole, Miller, Fletcher. Three-base hit—Bresnahan. Struck out—By Mathewson, 5; by McKinney, 3; by Peters, 6. Bases on balls—Off Peters, 4; off McKinney, 11. Batter hit—Maag, 1. Sacrifice hits—Slattery, Bridwell. Time of game—One hour and thirty-eight minutes. Umpire—Mr. Dunlap.

Yankee Regulars Beat Colts Again.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 1.—The Regulars and Colts played another game this morning, and for the third time this week the youngsters were beaten. To-day's score was 5 to 2. Four of the winner's runs were made on the errors of Manager Griffith, who did not meet with much success in his efforts to play third base. The score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Regulars	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	5	8	0
Colts	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	7	4

Batteries.—Zeller, Doyle, and Sweeney; Hughes, Glade, and Blair.

ERRORS RESULT IN RUNS.

City College Loses Close Game to Stevens Through Costly Misplays.

Stevens Institute baseball team, in their first game of the season, defeated the College of the City of New York nine yesterday afternoon by the score of 8 to 7 on Bronx Oval. Although the New Yorkers outbatted the men from Stevens and fielded equally well, they made errors when misplays meant runs.

De Luca pitched his first game for the 'Varsity and made a creditable showing, striking out eight men and keeping the hits well scattered in all but the fifth inning. In this round, after one run had been scored, Utz knocked the ball to deep left field for a home run and sent two men in ahead of him.

The college men, however, tied the score in their chance at the bat by bunting and clever base running. Stevens won out in the eighth with a hit aided by an error, a stolen base, and a scratch hit just beyond the infield. The score:

STEVENS.	R	H	PO	A	E	C. C. N. Y.	R	H	PO	A	E
Mann, 3b	1	1	3	2	2	Sippel, 2b	2	2	2	3	0
Bruce, lf	2	1	1	0	0	Russell, 3b	0	0	2	2	1
Kelsey, 2b	1	0	2	3	1	Marafin, 1b	1	1	8	0	0
Meigs, rf	0	2	0	0	0	Draddy, ss	1	2	2	2	0
Fonda, c	1	1	7	2	0	Scoppa, cf	0	0	0	0	1
Harris, 1b	1	1	10	0	1	Low'thal, rf	0	1	0	1	0
Utz, cf	1	1	0	0	1	Frank, lf	1	1	0	0	1
Steward, ss	0	0	2	3	0	W'tor'w'z, c	1	1	12	0	1
Sturgis, p	0	0	0	2	0	De Luca, p	1	1	1	2	1
Steinmetz, c	0	0	2	0	0	Kaplan, cf	0	1	0	1	0
Ridgeway, lf., p	1	1	0	0	0	Rosenblum, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Total	8	8	27	12	5	Total	7	10	27	11	5

Stevens ....2 0 0 0 4 1 0 1 0—8
C. C. N. Y. ....1 0 1 4 0 1 0 0 0—7

Two-base hits—Harris, Sippel, and De Luca. Home run—Utz. Sacrifice hits—Russell, (2,) Marafin, Ridgeway, Utz. First base on balls—Off De Luca, 5; off Sturgis, 3; off Ridgeway, 2. First base on errors—Stevens, 2; C. C. N. Y., 4. Struck out—By De Luca, 8; by Sturgis, 3; by Ridgeway, 2. Stolen bases—Sippel, (2,) Draddy, (3,) Russell, Fonda, Meigs. Wild pitch—De Luca. Time of game—Two hours and twenty minutes. Umpire—Mr. Lester Corts.

VERMONT RATTLED AT START.

Fordham Piles Up Six Runs Before Visitors Settle Down.

Fordham defeated the University of Vermont yesterday at Fordham Field by the score of 6 to 1. Fordham secured a commanding lead of 6 runs in the opening inning and was never pushed during the entire game.

Vermont scored her run in the eighth, when Egan allowed an infield fly to slip through his fingers, Collinson scoring the run. Coffey made a pretty play in the fifth inning, pulling in a fly ball and doubling up the runner on first. Haynes performed well in centre field for the Vermont players. Mahoney had the visitors under his control during the six innings that he pitched, and Egan was equally effective. McConnell relieved Collins for the Burlington tossers and fared well.

FORDHAM.	R	H	PO	A	E	VERMONT.	R	H	PO	A	E
Gargan, 1b	1	1	10	0	1	C'llns'n, 2b	1	1	2	2	0
McK'na, 1b	0	1	1	0	0	McConnell, lf., p	0	0	0	2	0
H'tman, lf	1	1	1	0	0	Gardner, ss	0	2	1	2	3
Mahoney, p	0	1	0	5	0	Collins, p	0	2	0	1	0
Egan, cf	0	0	1	0	1	Bur'gton, c	0	0	5	4	0
F. G'gan, cf	0	1	0	0	0	Parquet, 3b	0	0	2	2	0
Coffey, ss	1	1	1	5	1	Watk's, 1b	0	0	12	0	0
Scanlon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	Haynes, cf	0	1	2	0	0
M'C'thy, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Thomas, rf	0	0	0	0	0
McDon'd, c	1	1	9	0	0	Smith, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Schiess, 3b	0	0	1	0	0						
O'Reilly, 3b	0	0	0	0	1						
M'C'frey, 2b	0	1	2	3	0						
Total	6	7	27	13	4	Total	1	6	24	18	8

Fordham ....6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 .—6
Vermont ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Two-base hits—Gardner, Gargan, Haynes, Collinson. Double play—Coffey and Gargan. Struck out—By Mahoney, 4; by Collins, 4; by Egan, 5; by McConnell, 2. Bases on balls—Off Collins, 3; off Mahoney, —. Hit by pitcher—Collins, 1. Stolen bases—Hartman, (2,) McDonald. Left on bases—Fordham, 4; Vermont, 5. Umpire—Mr. Diederich. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes.

N. Y. U., 15; Poly Institute, 2.

New York University won an easy victory over the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn yesterday at Ohio Field by a score of 15 to 2. Polytechnic played a loose game, making many costly errors. Murphy pitched a good game for New York, holding his opponents down to three hits. Hennig was hit freely. The score:

NEW YORK UNIV.	R	H	PO	A	E	POLY. INSTITUTE.	R	H	PO	A	E
Wessels, lf	2	2	0	0	0	Wolin, 2b	1	1	1	1	0
Mowen, 1b	2	2	12	1	0	Leslie, ss	0	0	0	1	0
M'w'ch, cf	2	2	0	0	0	Hennig, p	1	1	0	6	1
Fisher, 3b	2	1	0	1	2	Dellent, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Dane, rf., c	2	0	1	1	0	Lott, 1b	0	1	7	0	1
Ferdon, 2b	1	2	2	2	0	Horton, cf	0	1	0	0	0
Van Houten, ss	1	1	3	3	1	Russel, 3b	0	0	0	2	0
Fred'ks, c	0	0	9	3	0	Bainb'ge, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, p	2	2	0	0	0	Grannell, c	0	0	14	0	2
Kiernan, rf	1	0	0	0	0						
Total	15	12	27	16	3	Total	2	3	24	9	7

N. Y. University....4 0 0 4 0 1 2 4 .—15
Polytechnic ....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2

First base on balls—Off Murphy, 2; off Hennig, 9. Struck out—By Murphy, 6; by Hennig, 7. Two-base hits—Manowitch, Fisher, Hennig. Stolen bases—Wolin, Lott, Ferden, Manowitch, Van Houten, Mowen, Wessels, Murphy, (2.) Sacrifice hits—Dane, Murphy, Manowitch. Hit by pitcher—Kiernan. Umpire—Mr. A. Wayn. Time of game—Two hours.

Scores of Baseball Games.

At Providence—Bowdoin, 5; Brown, 4.
At Charlottesville—Virginia, 6; Amherst, 1.
At Washington—Georgetown, 13; Gallaudet, 2.
At Montgomery—Montgomery, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
At Columbia, S. C.—Boston, (National,) 7; Columbia, 6.
At Durham, N. C.—Trinity, 9; Colgate, 0.
At Chapel Hill, N. C.—North Carolina, 5; Cornell, 2.
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania, 18; Albright, 2.

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NEW YORK ATHLETES WIN.

Capture Most of Individual Honors at Newark Soldiers' Games.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWARK, N. J., April 1.—Athletes from New York captured most of the individual honors in the twelfth annual games of the First Regiment held at its armory here to-night. Fred G. Bellars of the New York A. C., the National cross-country champion, was beaten in the special invitation scratch one-mile run for the State championship by Joe Bromilow, the sterling middle distance runner of the Irish-American A. C., and William Berker, his clubmate, in the slow time of 4 minutes and 36 seconds.

At the crack of the pistol the dozen men in the race jumped away from the mark, Berker in the lead. He went well for nearly a lap, when Bellars went to the front, and the field was satisfied to trail along behind him for a few laps when Frank Riley took the lead and Bellars dropped behind. Riley and Bromilow alternated in the lead with Bauderman, the other Winged Foot man in the race, pressing them closely. At the tap of the bell Bromilow sprinted away, with Berker hot after him. Entering the stretch for the dash to the tape, he safely held his lead and won by two yards. Bellars managed to pass Riley on the last turn and finished in third place, six yards behind.

In nearly all the events there were several entries from the larger clubs of New York, and the close and exciting competitions kept the crowd that jammed the big armory in a fever heat. The summaries:

75-Yard Novice, Closed.—Won by Arthur Uhley, Company B; Emil L. Stool, Company F, second; Ed. Regan, Company B, third. Time—0:08 4-5.

75-Yard Dash, Handicap.—Won by C. Grozer, Company B, (10 feet;) F. N. Meeker, Company D, (12 feet,) second; H. Henderson, Company I, (19 feet,) third. Time—0:08 1-5.

75-Yard Handicap, Open.—Won by Dan Frank, Irish-American A. C., (8 feet;) H. E. Genet, Irish-American A. C., (10 feet,) second; C. Steinhardt, unattached, (16 feet,) third. Time—0:07 4-5.

One-half-Mile Relay Race, for Public and Parochial Schools.—Won by South Eighth Street Public School team, composed of Ruth J. Becker, D. Becker, and Dougla; St. Joseph's Parochial School first team, composed of Cribbin, Doris, Shalvoy, and Kelly, second; Central Avenue Public School, composed of Healy, Larkin, Higgins, and Manderville, third. Time—1:40.

One-Mile Scratch Invitation Race for the Championship of New Jersey.—Won by Joseph Bromilow, Irish-American A. C.; William Berker, New York A. C., second; Fred G. Bellars, New York A. C., third. Time—4:36.

440-Yard Run, Handicap, Special, Open to Firemen, Letter Carriers, Policemen, and Health Inspectors of the City of Newark.—Won by Marcus E. Brennan, Post Office Department, (scratch;) C. F. Conrad, Board of Health, (18 yards,) second; W. A. Doremus, Fire Department, (14 yards,) third. Time—0:54 2-5.

880-Yard Run, Heavy Marching Order, Closed Handicap.—Won by L. Rado, Company L, (22 yards;) E. Gierding, Company B, (scratch,) second; R. E. Higgins, Company B, (18 yards,) third. Time—2:38.

Mile Run, Handicap.—Won by David Noble, Sunday School Athletic League, (90 yards;) Joseph Malone, Mohawk A. C., (45 yards,) second; A. Hoffman, Paterson Y. M. C. A., (85 yards,) third. Time—4:27 4-5.

440-Yard Run, Novice, (Closed.)—Won by G. Vreeland, Co. B; H. B. Smith, Co. I, second; C. F. Schwartz, Co. I, third. Time—0:57.

One-Mile Athletic Club Relay Race, Handicap.—Won by New York Athletic Club, composed of Crockett, Koch, Sedley, and Pilgrim, (42 yards;) Jordan House A. A., composed of Stacey, Hovey, Gregory, and Lindsell, (72 yards,) second; Pastime A. C., composed of G. G. Dorland, Goggin, Steuerwald, and L. B. Dorland, (46 yards,) third. Time—3:37 1-5.

600-Yard Run, Handicap, (Open.)—Won By H. E. Kennedy, Irish-American A. C., (28 yards;) A. McDonough, Xavier A. A., (28 yards,) second; J. McNamara, unattached, (32 yards,) third. Time—1:17.

Potato Race, Scratch, (Closed.)—Won by W. Schmitt, Co. C; J. H. Bauderman, Co. B, second; J. Bohlerman, Co. B, third. Time—0:50.

440-Yard Run, Handicap, (Closed.)—Won by J. Thorwarth, Co. C, (15 yards;) H. C. Leek, Co. I, (15 yards,) second; F. Mills, Co. G, (17 yards,) third. Time—0:54.

UMPIRES GET ORDERS.

President Pulliam Instructs His Officials as to Their Duties.

Harry C. Pulliam, President of the National League, yesterday had his staff of umpires call upon him for instructions as to their duties during the playing season. This would seem an unnecessary proceeding, considering the fact that the National League staff is made up of competent men, but the baseball rules are so incomplete in many respects that President Pulliam deemed it better to give positive instructions before the season opens than wait until a conflict occurs in a game.

Those present were: Henry O'Day, Chicago; R. D. Emslie, St. Thomas, Ont.; W. J. Klem, New York; Charles Rigler, Massillon, Ohio, and F. F. Rudderham, Providence. J. E. Johnstone, Newark, N. J., was absent owing to illness.

Manhattan, 7; St. Francis, 3.

The Manhattan College baseball team defeated the St. Francis nine at Classon Point yesterday by a score of 7 to 3. Manhattan took the lead in the fifth inning, when four runs were scored on singles by Connolly, McAvoy, and Sweeney, and a two-bagger by McLaughlin. The features were the brilliant fielding of Kennedy and the hard hitting of Capt. Connolly and McAvoy. The score:

MANHATTAN.	R	H	PO	A	E	ST. FRANCIS.	R	H	PO	A	E
Kennedy, c. and lf	2	2	2	0	1	Loewe, 2b	1	0	4	1	0
Meara, lf	0	1	0	0	0	Fitzp't'k, 3b	1	2	1	3	0
Connolly, c	1	3	6	0	0	Sweeney, c	0	0	4	3	0
Donohue, 2b	0	1	0	4	0	Halligan, 1b	0	0	7	0	1
McAvoy, cf	1	3	3	0	0	Ennis, cf	0	0	4	0	1
Thorpe, rf	1	0	0	0	0	Caswell, p	0	1	1	2	0
Sweeney, 3b	0	1	2	2	0	Carroll, lf	0	1	2	0	0
Holahan, 1b	1	0	12	0	0	Hansb'y, rf	0	0	0	0	0
McL'n, ss	0	1	2	2	1	McD'm't, ss	1	0	1	4	1
Hartnett, p	1	2	0	6	1						
Total	7	14	27	14	3	Total	3	4	24	13	3

St. Francis.........2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3
Manhattan ....1 1 0 0 4 1 0 0 .—7

Stolen bases—Kennedy, (2,) Connolly, McAvoy, Sweeney, Holahan, Caswell, (2.) Two-base hit—McLaughlin. Double play—Kennedy, Hartnett and Connolly. Bases on balls—Off Hartnett, 4; off Caswell, 6. Struck out—By Hartnett, 4; by Caswell, 4. Time of game—One hour and fifty-five minutes. Umpire—Mr. Cullen.

Columbia, 14; St. John's, 7.

Columbia's baseball team defeated St. John's College on South Field yesterday afternoon by a score of 14 to 7. As was the case in the first game of the season, played last Saturday, Coach Goodman made the contest a tryout for the Blue and White squad, putting seventeen men on the field altogether. The score:

										R.	H.	E.
St. John's College	2	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	—	7	3	6
Columbia	1	5	1	2	1	1	3	.	.	14	9	4

Batteries—Castle and Kehoe; Barilli, Lee, McCloskey, and Young. Umpire—Mr. Beckendorf.

Yale Wins in First Inning.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 1.—Yale defeated the Trinity baseball team at Yale Field to-day by the score of 5 to 2. Trinity's inability to hit the Yale pitchers coupled with the good support given the latter, were largely responsible for the result. Williams's fast fielding and the base stealing of Capt. Jones of Yale were the features. In the last two innings Yale presented practically a new nine, almost all of the second team having been sent in. The score:

										R.	H.	E.
Yale	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	4	3
Trinity	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	1

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GLOOM AMONG THE BETTORS

Five Favorites Are Bowled Over—Madden Youngsters Fail to Finish Inside the Money.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The betting public at Benning had a very unprofitable afternoon of racing to-day, and while the perambulating bookmakers reaped a harvest they were keenly sensitive to the fact that the Legislature in New York was at the same time tuning up to sound their death knell in race-track gambling. Every patron of the Benning track, but especially the bookmakers and their help, were deeply interested in the progress of the affairs at Albany, where the race-track bills prohibiting betting were under discussion. The dejected spirit of the racing men indicated that they were losing hope of winning a battle that was far out of their reach. With gambling eliminated in New York State, it is almost certain that Congress will wipe it out at Benning at the present session.

Workman brought the only grain of comfort to the bettors to-day. The W. A. Stanton gelding was the single favorite which won, but the winning of two second choices, Grandpa and Van Laer, helped some of the almost depleted purses.

Prince of Pilsen was installed favorite in the steeplechase at 7 to 5, but W. C. Hayes's Grandpa ran all the way of the two and one-half miles far in front of his field. King of Bashan won the last race by a margin of six lengths, with "Bill" Daly's Killicrankie second, eight lengths in front of Campaigner. Billy Shields's Holscher again ran disappointingly and was last all the way. The summaries:

FIRST RACE.—Selling, three-year-olds and upward; six and a half furlongs, Columbia course. Edgeley, 105 pounds, (McFadden,) 80 to 1, 3 to 1, and 8 to 5, won; Bob Callahan, Jr., 91, (Fairbrother,) 4 to 1, 8 to 5, and 4 to 5, second; Lally, 106, (McCahey,) 7 to 2, 6 to 5, and 1 to 2, third. Time—1:25. Battleaxe, Greeno, Moonlight Murphy, Sherring, and Ballad also ran.

SECOND RACE.—Maiden two-year-olds; four and one-half furlongs, old course. Von Laer, 107 pounds, (Brussel,) 2 to 1, 4 to 5, and 1 to 3, won; Rose Beaumont, 104, (Krause,) 50 to 1, 12 to 1, and 6 to 1, second; Alice Navarre, 104, (Fairbrother,) 40 to 1, 10 to 1, and 4 to 1, third. Time—0:59 4-5. Great Jubilee, Inertia, Two Saints, Lady Ethelyne, Tony S., Deviser, and Chaperone also ran.

THIRD RACE.—Selling, three-year-olds and upward; seven furlongs, Columbia course. Workman, 105 pounds, (McCarthy,) 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, won; Clements, 108, (Brussel,) 4 to 1, even, and 1 to 3, second; Belle of the Bay, 103, (A. Lee,) 10 to 1, 5 to 2, and 4 to 5, third. Time—1:31 1-5. Merryman and Beggarman also ran.

FOURTH RACE.—Selling, two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs, old course. Dan de Noyles, 106 pounds, (W. Walker,) 7 to 1, 2 to 1, and even, won; Ragman, 94, (Steele,) 10 to 1, 3 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; Glessner H., 91, (Fairbrother,) 60 to 1, 20 to 1, and 10 to 1, third. Time—0:59 2-5. Arondack, Huldy, Blue Stock, Puddin, and Flatfoot also ran.

FIFTH RACE.—April Selling Steeplechase, four-year-olds and upward; about two miles and a half. Grandpa, 148 pounds, (Kelleher,) 13 to 5, even, and 1 to 3, won; Prince of Pilsen, 158, (McInerney,) 7 to 5, 8 to 5 and out, second; Huddy, 141, (J. Steele,) 4 to 1, 6 to 5, and 2 to 5, third. Time—5:19. Yama Christy also ran. Newt Fisher fell.

SIXTH RACE.—Handicap, three-year-olds and upward; one mile, Columbia course. King of Bashan, 95 pounds, (McCarthy,) 4 to 1, even, and out, won; Killicrankie, 106, (McDaniel,) 11 to 5, 3 to 5, and out, second; Campaigner, 100, (McCahey,) 8 to 1, 2 to 1 and out, third. Time—1:44. Holscher also ran.

NEW MATINEE RULES.

Road Drivers Adopt Conditions to Govern Spring Speedway Contests.

Rules to govern the Spring series of Speedway matinées of the Road Drivers' Association of New York were adopted last night at a general meeting of the association at the Cadillac Hotel. For several season there has been considerable displeasure among the members owing to lack of specific rules. The new conditions were drawn up by Dr. H. D. Gill and George H. Huber, and follow:

The Brush Committee must classify entries according to the horses' race, matinees, or Speedway records.

Horses with no records must be placed in green classes, but members may have their horses advanced by making written requests to the Brush Committee.

The Brush Committee must advance winning horses and place them, when possible, according to their records made that day.

Horses competing against time must beat the fastest time made, the same day, by the winner of the class from which they were just advanced.

Horses going against time may use pacemaker.

It was decided to close the entries for the annual Speedway Parade and Horse Show on April 18. Thirteen classes will be judged in the horse show. Twelve solid silver cups will be awarded in addition to the A. H. Cosden cup for three-year-olds and under.

Radtke to Ride in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1.—M. Lazareff, one of the most prominent representatives of the Russian turf, who last year won the Russian Derby, has engaged Herman Radtke, the well-known American jockey, to ride his horses in St. Petersburg. M. Lazareff also maintains a stable at Moscow, where another American, Wingfield, is the principal jockey.

CRESCENT A. C. WINS TROPHY.

Defeats N. Y. A. C. in Final Round of Interclub Pool Tourney.

In a series of closely contested games the Crescent Athletic Club won the interclub amateur pool tournament, defeating in the final round the New York Athletic Club, 2 games to 1. The clubs competing were the Crescent A. C., New York A. C., Union, Yale, Calumet, Lambs, New York, and the Amateur Billiard Club of New York. In the first round the Union, Lambs, and New York Clubs were eliminated from competition. The Calumet and Amateur Billiard Clubs were defeated by the Crescents and New York A. C. respectively, which brought the two latter clubs together in the final round.

Each club was represented by three players, with games of 150 points each. J. M. Heatherton, Crescent A. C., and E. A. Gamble, New York A. C., played the first game in the final round. The latter played in hard luck with his combination shots, and the Brooklyn player won by the score of 150 to 138. A. S. Hart, Crescent A. C., and W. A. Tiet, New York A. C., contested the second match, but the former secured a good lead in the opening frame, which he increased to the end, winning by the score of 150 to 120. E. F. Crowe was the only N. Y. A. C. player to win in the final round, defeating N. M. Williams, Crescent A. C., by 150 to 122. During the tournament the Mercury Foot was the only club to win three consecutive wins in one game. The final round:

Crescent Athletic Club (J. M. Heatherton, 150; A. S. Hart, 150; N. M. Williams, 122) defeated New York Athletic Club, (E. A. Gamble, 138; W. A. Tiet, 120; E. F. Crowe, 150,) two games to one.

Princeton, 7; Dickinson, 0.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, April 1.—Princeton defeated Dickinson in baseball this afternoon by the score of 7 to 0. The Tigers took advantage of the opportunity presented by their weak opponents to try out several pitchers. Wilson, a sophomore, appeared in the box with the 'Varsity for the first time, and kept the bases free for five innings, not allowing a hit. Horton, Clark, and Drewes also got into the game, Horton for one inning, in which he struck out three men. For the Tigers Fish, at first base, played a remarkable game, while Harlan created a sensation with his diving catch of a fly. Score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Dickinson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7
Princeton	0	1	0	1	0	4	0	1	x	7	4	1

Batteries—Longstaff and Fry; Wilson, Horton, Clark, and Dawson, Philips.

Loyola, 13; Barnard, 6.

Loyola School defeated Barnard at Columbia Oval yesterday by the score of 13 to 6. Batteries—Loyola, O'Gorman and O'Brien; Barnard, Davidson and Boullion.

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KOUWENHOVEN LEADS FIELD

One Hundred and Sixty Marksmen Face the Traps in Championship Shoot at Montclair, N. J.

One hundred and sixty trapshooters, of which only twelve were professionals, took part in the second annual championship of metropolitan clubs, held under the auspices of the Montclair Gun Club of Montclair, N. J., yesterday. All amateur gunners of prominence within seventy-five miles of New York paid an entrance fee of $2 for the privilege of shooting at 100 clay targets, three prizes being offered to the three highest guns, with additional prizes for the leading five-men team and two-men team.

The Bergen Beach Gun Club carried off the principal honors by winning the first and third individual prizes and the handsome trophy for five-men teams. George K. Kouwenhoven, a Flatlands boy, with the splendid record of 95 breaks with his favorite Parker gun, took the silver loving cup valued at $134, the gift of A. R. Allen of the Montclair Gun Club, while, with four of his team-mates, the Bergen Beachers were enabled to take home the team trophy after defeating the New York Athletic Club representatives in a 25-bird shoot-off by 11 targets.

The second individual prize was won by A. I. Ivins of the Monmouth Park Club, with a score of 92, while John H. Hendrickson won the third prize with 91.

The scores:

Kouwenhoven, Bergen Beach, 95; Ivins, Monmouth Park, 92; J. Hendrickson, Bergen Beach, 91; Billings, N. Y. A. C., 90; Hodgman, N. Y. A. C., 90; Moffett, Montclair, 90; Hallinger, Jersey City, 90; C. De Guilpfeldt, Meadow Brook, 90; F. B. Stephenson, Crescent A. C., 90; A. Tilt, N. Y. A. C., 89; •Fanning, 89; Van Allen, Emerald, 88; •Worthington, 88; Castle, Smith G. C., 88; Von Kattengill, Monmouth Park, 88; Piercy, Jersey City, 87; •Taylor, 87; Pelham, N. Y. A. C., 86; Damron, Bergen Beach, 86; •Banks, 86; Lewis, Pleasure, 86; Scott, Westchester, 86; Semacker, Independent, 85; Vandeveer, Holmdel, 85; Martin, Bergen Beach, 85; •Welles, 85; Southworth, Crescent A. C., 85; Day, Jr., Smith G. C., 83; Blanford, Ossining, 83; Higgs, Belleville, 83; Cockefair, Montclair, 83; •Apgar, 83; H. Money, 84; F. Von Deeston, 83; •Glover, 83; Mathews, Trenton, 82; Muldoon, Holmdel, 82; Fischer, N. Caldwell, 82; McClave, N. River, 82; Truax, N. River, 82; Lindley, Smith G. C., 82; R. Squire, Smith G. C., 81; Wickes, Orange, 81; Rochette, Rahway, 81; Baldwin, Orange, 81; Stager, N. Caldwell, 81; Grinnell, Crescent A. C., 81; Henderson, Melrose, 81; Guenther, South Side, 81; Gardner, Bernardsville, 81; Russell, Orange, 81; Willis, Freeport, 80; Nash, Meadow Brook, 80; Booth, Melrose, 80; Meyer, Andover, 80; Burlington, Jersey City, 79; Davis, Smith G. C., 79; Richter, N. River, 79; Porter, Pleasure, 79; Brennan, Melrose, 79; Thomas, Jersey City, 79; Dr. Ayer, Westchester, 79, and C. E. Jacobus, Montclair, 79.

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BERGEN BEACH GUN CLUB.

				Total
G. K. Kouwenhoven	24	23	25	23—95
J. H. Hendrickson	21	22	23	25—91
W. C. Damron	20	21	23	22—86
John Martin	19	21	22	23—85
Henry D. Bergen	18	22	16	22—78
Total				435

NEW YORK ATHLETIC CLUB.

C. W. Billings	25	21	22	22—90
Frederick Hodgman	24	22	22	22—90
Albert Tilt	22	23	22	22—89
George F. Pelham	21	21	22	22—86
I. S. Dickerson	22	22	15	21—80
Total				435

SHOOT-OFF—25 TARGETS.

BERGEN BEACH.	T.	NEW YORK A. C.	T.
Kouwenhoven	18	Billings	17
Hendrickson	21	Hodgman	20
Martin	23	Tilt	21
Bergen	18	Pelham	14
Damron	21	Dickerson	18
Total	101	Total	90

Smith G. C., Newark—F. Castle, 88; C. T. Day, Jr., 83; A. Lindsay, 82; W. R. Squire, 81; J. W. Davis, 79; team total, 413.

Montclair—F. W. Moffett, 90; C. E. Jacobus, 79; P. H. Cockefair, 78; G. W. Boxall, 77; R. L. Jacobus, 73; team total, 397.

Crescent A. C.—F. B. Stephenson, 90; A. G. Southworth, 85; O. C. Grinnell, Jr., 81; G. G. Stephenson, 77; A. E. Hendrickson, 76; team total, 409.

Meadow Brook—C. De Guilpfeldt, Jr., 90; R. Nash, 80; H. T. Lee, 77; A. V. Smith, 74; W. Simbnson, 72; team total, 393.

North River—C. L. McClave, 82; Fred Truax, 82; H. A. Groesbeck, 81; A. L. Rechter, 79; M. W. Wynne, 77; team total, 401.

Monmouth Park—A. L. Ivins, 92; E. Von Kallengill, 88; J. D. Burtis, 78; A. Bennett, 75; W. A. Kennedy, 78; team total, 411.

Jersey City—E. E. Hallinger, 90; G. H. Piercy, 87; H. J. Burlington, 79; C. Thomas, 79; W. J. Wright, 78; team total, 413.

FIGHTER BURNS PRAISED.

Lord Alverstone "Pleased to Meet Man Who Has Played Game Cleanly."

LONDON, April 1.—Tommy Burns, the champion heavyweight fighter, appeared in a new rôle to-night. He was a guest at the dinner of the Sphinx Club and was down for a speech in a debate which had been arranged on "publicity in sport," which mainly turned to the ethics of Oxford's recent secret trial row.

Unfortunately for Burns he was sandwiched in the speaking between Lord Alverstone and Mostyne Pigott, two of London's best after-dinner speakers. There was compensation in the fact, however, that Lord Alverstone, who was a great athlete in his younger days, went over to Burns, and, shaking him by the hand, said that he was pleased to meet a man who had played the game as cleanly as had Burns.

Atalanta B. C. Drops Varley.

Following the action of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen in disqualifying William M. Varley of the Atalanta Boat Club from further competition as an amateur oarsman, the Atalanta Boat Club has dropped the oarsman from membership in the club. Varley was accused of accepting money for losing a race at Philadelphia on July 4, 1907.

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PREDICT BUSY AUTO SEASON.

Carnival Festivities Praised at Dinner of Fairweather Club.

Judging from the speeches and the general sentiment expressed last night at the second dinner of the Fairweather Club in the Hotel Cumberland, Broadway, and Fifty-fourth Street, the Spring season in the automobile trade of the city is going to be one of the liveliest experienced for several seasons. The Fairweather Club is composed of over a hundred well-known dealers, agents, and others prominently identified with the trade, and the dinner last night might be called the first gun in the coming carnival week festivities which will officially begin next Monday.

Col. K. C. Pardee was the guest of honor. He is Chairman of the Parade Committee and of the hill-climbing contest at Fort George hill, scheduled for next Thursday. Col. Pardee spoke entertainingly in a serious and humorous vein, contrasting the wonderful improvements in the motor industry of to-day with its position of ten years ago and less. H. F. Duncan was the toastmaster, and among the other speakers were Benjamin Briscoe and John S. Crosby, President of the Missouri Society.

The progress of the carnival arrangements was outlined by several members, and the prediction was freely made that the monster night parade next Tuesday with its section of decorated cars would be one of the most spectacular and most instructive object lessons of the progress of motoring ever seen in America. About 150 autoists and their friends were present.

VANDERBILT CUP RACE.

Some Decision on Course May Be Made at Racing Board Meeting.

Some important action regarding the locality for the Vanderbilt Cup race this year may be taken at to-day's meeting of the Racing Board of the American Automobile Association. Local autoists are hoping that some definite statement will be forthcoming about the Long Island motor parkway. Mr. Pardington has said that the preliminary surveys and rights of way are so well completed that work will begin on the automobile speedway by May 1. It is known that William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and other prominent local autoists are anxious to hold the big race in the metropolitan locality, provided the parkway is sufficiently completed so that a section of several miles may be used. In addition, if necessary, to a stretch of the public highway enough to give a good course of about thirty miles.

The new racing rules will be presented to the board for adoption, and a number of applications for endurance runs, hill climbs, and other motor competitions in various parts of the country will be acted on.

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THE VENEZUELA BOTHERATION.

The President has very wisely determined to lay the history of our troubles with Venezuela before Congress and the Nation without a specific recommendation. It is a history of extreme vexation, due, unfortunately, not wholly to the bad behavior of Venezuela, but also to bad behavior on the part of some of the American claimants for whom it has become the duty of our Government to intervene. Yet apart from this phase of the question there is ample evidence in the papers sent to the Senate by the President that the rights of these claimants fully deserve consideration, that they have not received proper consideration from the Venezuelan authorities, and that they are proper matters for arbitration, which is all that our Government has at any time asked.

This really is the strong point in the case of the United States. Our Government has unquestionably shown great care and patience in every phase of the negotiations. There has not been the slightest manifestation of a domineering spirit or failure to treat the Venezuelan Government with respect and with friendliness. That Government, on the other hand, has conducted itself in a manner that would not have been tolerated for a moment from a nation approaching our own in power and importance. And this is the more noteworthy because for many years the Venezuelan Government has openly relied on the protection of the United States against the more or less justifiable indignation of European Governments whom it has treated with much the same unfairness and lack of decency it has shown toward us.

The Congress will doubtless proceed to the consideration of the matter with deliberation. Two lines of policy in the premises suggest themselves. One is the recommitment of the question to the Executive with power to act, even to the extent of the use of force. The other is the infliction of commercial disadvantages upon the offending country. It is quite possible that the latter will be undertaken as preliminary to the former. It would have the merit of bringing home to the people of Venezuela the true character of the wretched despotism to which they have submitted themselves, and thus possibly prompting them to get rid of it. If this result were not attained, there would still be left the resort to force. But in any case our people must bear in mind, and the world must be called to witness, that the utmost that our Government requires of Venezuela is that strong prima facie claims shall be submitted to fair and impartial arbitration, either by The Hague Tribunal or in the customary manner.

VETERANS AND THE CIVIL SERVICE

The purpose of the constitutional amendment proposed in the Legislature giving preference to soldiers who served in the Spanish War, in the Philippines, and in the Chinese Boxer troubles is avowedly to secure admission and promotion in the civil service for those who could not attain it in open competition. The provision is that any man who passes the lowest grade in examination shall have ten points more allowed to him if he belongs to the classes mentioned. This is in itself a violation of the sound principle laid down by Gov. HUGHES in the following words:

> We want in office men who are not simply just over the line of availability, but the best men that can be obtained; sorted out by the best means; held to the highest standards of efficiency; made to feel that it is the highest honor to serve the State; that it is just as sacredly a place of honorable obligation as to go to the front in defense of the country in time of war.

How much of a preference the provision would give is shown by figures submitted to the Legislature by the Civil Service Reform Association of the State. In the last examination for patrolman in this city a Spanish War veteran, with a mark of 75, would, by the addition of ten points, have been put ahead of 640 competitors; in like circumstances, in the last examination for fireman, he would have been put ahead of 697 competitors. The granting of the same privilege in promotion would act in the same way, and would practically, after a few years, limit the civil service employment to men of this class.

The argument is made that the Legislature need not take the effect of a constitutional amendment too seriously, since it must finally be passed on by the people. This is a fallacy. The duty of the Legislature is to sift amendments. It has no right to vote to submit to the people one that it does not fully approve on the merits. This one, on the merits, cannot, we think, be approved.

MR. FAIRBANKS ON REVISION.

Vice President FAIRBANKS scores a point in his letter to the Indiana Republican Convention on the revision of the tariff when he urges that it be undertaken at a session of the present Congress called immediately after election and not deferred until an extraordinary session of its successor.

From the point of view of business, as well as of politics, this is desirable. If it were possible to hope, as the result of this Fall's elections, that the tariff could be revised by friends of a reasonable tariff, Mr. FAIRBANKS's argument would appeal only to Republican politicians. But the Senate in any case, and in all probability the President as well, will remain Republican. It is, therefore, a question of disturbing business as little as practicable. Since the best we can hope for is a revision on Republican lines, with as little real reduction of burdens as the party can get on with, it is better to have the interval as short as may be.

PROGRESS OF REACTION.

There is reason to fear—or to rejoice, as the case may be—that there is a reactionary in the bosom of the President's official family. In fact, how can we be sure that even the President is immune from reaction when he himself directs that the "commodity law" shall not be enforced until it has been interpreted by the Supreme Court? This mental attitude of caution is certainly not the spirit in which the law was passed. It was whirled through Congress as blithely as any 2-cent law through any State Legislature. And yet it affected interests of imperial magnitude, and of such complexity that the broadest and best-informed talent is most in doubt how compliance is possible. It affects coal interests valued at a billion dollars, and that is only the beginning of the statute. Every industrial railway is equally obnoxious to the statute. If any quarry has a switch and a division of a railway rate it must sell either its railway or its quarry, for it may not lawfully transport what it produces. A steel mill, or harvester works, or an electric company, or any other similar concern, is in the like position. It was pointed out in debate that it was unconstitutional to forbid ownership of property, and that it was confiscatory to order such vast interests to be sold in an adverse market in such a brief interval as has elapsed since June 29, 1906. Nobody cared then. Even Mr. ROOSEVELT cares now.

Of course no decision can be had from the Supreme Court before May 1. The separation of producing and carrying interests which was to have been completed a month from to-day will therefore not even be begun. If the law is sustained the date for its execution is pushed into the indefinite future. Moreover, the draughtsmanship was so shiftless that no specific penalty was provided. The omission serves as another measure of reaction, for it was deemed unwise to call the attention of Congress to the omission lest something worse than the general penalty of the Rate act should be provided. Then the railways were in fear of being boiled in oil.

As in the case of the 2-cent laws, it does not seem to have occurred to anybody that anything but good to the people could result from intentions so excellent in the way of crippling the railways. Yet the working of the 2-cent laws has been far from satisfactory to anybody, and in this case the effect of the operation of the law would have been harder on the patrons of the railways than on the companies, whatever the penalty. Who can imagine what would be the result if the railways complied with the law exactly, selling no coal to anybody, and carrying coal solely for their own use? This the law expressly authorizes, and this it was said some of the larger roads might do profitably, allowing their property to gain in value by lapse of time until sentiment should become calmer. There would have resulted coal riots rivaling any bread riot in history.

And what was the motive for all this? Why, to punish the Coal Trust, one of the few concerns that has not raised prices since President ROOSEVELT forced it to arbitrate, with the result that the price then fixed has prevailed, and the increased wages have ever since been paid by consumers. The President is to be praised for the course he has taken, and regarding which he may be said to have had no option.

ACADEMIC WISDOM.

There is a great deal of fun for the boys in the annual April fool college joke. The statistical information in regard to the favorite pastimes, pursuits, and reading of the students might have some sort of psychological importance to their pastors and masters if it was trustworthy. But boys will be boys, and each Spring the country receives a statement from Yale, for instance, which is amusing rather than edifying, and also amazing.

That football is now no more esteemed as a Yale sport than dancing and bridge is a statement we refuse to believe. It is made in jest. That Yale's favorite university, next to itself, is Princeton instead of Harvard, may be veracious or merely malicious. It is not of world-wide importance. Moreover, the prevailing opinion may not last. But what is the good of a university training to a man whose "favorite poem" is "Crossing the Bar"? Is there any youth alive to whom these relatively cheerful thoughts of an old man on death are really "favorite"? "De Rerum Natura" or "The Odyssey," or, at least, "Paradise Lost," should be the favorite poem of a university man, whose bent of mind did not incline him to HORACE.

Similarly we learn that "Lorna Doone" is Yale's favorite novel, STEVENSON the university's favorite prose writer, (though "Lorna Doone" is prose and "Kidnapped" and "Treasure Island" are novels,) and Mr. SOTHERN and Miss ADAMS its favorite actors.

These opinions might do credit to an aspiring farmhand or a country store salesman with no hope of a liberal education. They are not authentic, and they count for nothing. If Yale were to be "sized up" that way, academic learning would become a thing of naught. But the boys are joking.

SAVING THE MISTLETOE.

Mr. BURLESON's proposed amendment to the Agricultural Appropriation bill authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to take steps toward the eradication of that "parasitical pest" yclept mistletoe was based on good judgment and a knowledge of agricultural needs. But it is not surprising that the Representatives of the American people in Congress assembled should confuse mistletoe with kissing, and defeat the amendment, with bursts of mirth and rhyme. The situation should have been led up to more carefully.

It is a matter of fact that there is little or no reason for the popularity of mistletoe. Congress should have been put in the right temper before the subject was introduced. The loranthaceae (the American mistletoe is not even that, by the way, but a mere humbug of a phoradendron) will be safely eradicated some day. It is a preposterous and really unlovely parasite, which grows upside down, and requires four or five years to mature. When it reaches its prime it possesses no merit except that which ancient tradition attaches to it.

The mistletoe had some sort of symbolical and deplorable significance in the Saturnalia of the Romans, and it "held over" in the Christian festival to which those pagan rites gave place. It worked its way northward and mixed with Scandinavian mythology. Balder was killed with an arrow made of mistletoe, an arrow made of material so hopelessly crooked naturally possessing great killing power. The Druids used mistletoe in their rites, but it is worth remembering that its use as a Christmas decoration in English churches was early forbidden, as the kissing habit associated with it dismayed the fathers. Nowadays, both the mistletoe and the kissing prevail, but the kissing will survive the eradication of the vegetable parasite.

GENIUS AND OLD AGE.

Bishop FALLOWS, who is 73 years old, has told his church brethren that people ought to be "ashamed" that they do not live to be at least 100; that 80 instead of 45 should be the prime of life.

W. A. NORMAN DORLAN, in The Century Magazine for April, gives a catalogue of genius embracing 400 records of men famous in literature, science, art, and war, and he finds that, whereas they "struck their gait" at an average age of 24, men like VON MOLTKE, JOHN WESLEY, MICHELANGELO, THEOPHRASTUS, IZAAK WALTON, JOHN ADAMS, Pope LEO XIII., CORNARO, FONTENELLE, TITIAN, and CHEVREUL showed that they could keep up the pace well into the nineties and past the century mark. "Many of the finest achievements in business, statesmanship, literature, and in all activities have been wrought by men long past 60," says Mr. DORLAN.

Dr. OSLER was, of course, misinterpreted. He said the foundations and superstructure of a useful life were built before 40, not that the edifice was not habitable after that period. ELIE METCHNIKOFF reinforces Bishop FALLOWS's view about the practicability of living to be old, if men will kill off harmful bacteria by taking daily doses of lactic acid germs. The leading dietetists are busy demonstrating their theory that a like result may be gained by abstemious living. CARLYLE said that the history of the world was the biography of its heroes. But if the lives of the present generation could be prolonged to beyond 100, it might be thought that history would change more rapidly than in the previous six generations of men, both heroes and common people, cut off in their age of usefulness.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Plan of Promise. Owners and occupants of the buildings along Fifth Avenue have formed an association for the purpose of doing what they can by united effort toward improving the looks of things on that street, of seeing to it that the pavement and sidewalks are kept in good repair, and furthering all plans and means for utilizing present and potential advantages. This is an excellent idea, and one that might well be imitated in one form or another all over the city. Individual action can accomplish comparatively little in the way of preventing or remedying abuses or of pushing to realization far-reaching plans of betterment. The complaint of a single citizen can be, and too often is, dismissed as a mere "kick" against conditions which, as others have not protested against them, can be treated as good enough. But when many speak through an organization it is a different matter, especially to official hearers with political ambitions. Then, provided the demand be fairly reasonable, it is apt to receive attention.

There are many things which the banded Fifth Avenue folk can do directly by influencing each other. They can, for instance, slowly evolve some approach to harmony—which need not and should not be monotony—in the architecture of the famous thoroughfare, and they can create among themselves a feeling that it is not wise to put private convenience and personal taste too much above the general interest. They can do even more, probably, so far as immediate results go, in the way of compelling the observance of laws and ordinances by paving and building contractors and all like careless gentry, and by convincing municipal officials that neglect of duty is not safe.

Of course, the idea is not new. We have long had associations, large and small, which had as a real or avowed object the promotion of the interests of particular parts of the city. These organizations, when they are not created, financed, and manipulated by the hidden agents of men working strictly and all the time for their own pockets, serve a good purpose. The Fifth Avenue experiment, however, seems to be a little different from its predecessors, with more definite purposes and a wisely restricted field of operation.

Printing Private Letters. There is something, perhaps much, of exaggeration in Miss AGNES REPPLIER's assertion that more to be feared than death is the possibility that after it one's letters may be published.

In the first place, an enormously large majority of us could contemplate demise with sweetest serenity if it had no other terror than the thought that our letters may get into print. There is no chance at all that any publisher will see profit in printing any we have written or that even the most devoted of our admirers will pay out their own money or some we leave behind in the hope of thus adding glory to anybody's name.

As for the letters of the great and the near-great, of course in their case the possibility of this posthumous exploitation for purposes good, bad, and indifferent does exist. No doubt, too, letters are occasionally printed that for one reason or another might better have been burned, but our own impression is that editors of such material much oftener err by cutting out too much than by letting too much remain, and that real harm is rarely done. If the letters printed are not worth it the public carefully lets them alone; if they really shouldn't have been printed—if they are merely scandalous, create undeserved pain for the living, or reveal what the dead had a reason as well as a right to keep secret—public opinion inflicts a proper punishment for the indiscretion.

The fact that the departed author of a letter would have objected to its publication is by no means a conclusive argument for its suppression—certainly not in all cases. It seems to depend a good deal on the length of time a person has been dead. Nobody would feel a scruple about printing the most private of missives written by an out-and-out "ancient," and in most instances the passage of a hundred, or even fifty years, is enough to give an editor a free hand and immunity from criticism. MARY, Queen of Scots, would have protested passionately, as well she might, against the disclosure of her epistolary secrets, but nobody is at all disturbed.

In most of the indignation heaped upon the publishers of the private letters of the recently dead there may be little more than a manifestation of the instinct of self-defense—an anticipatory scolding of the people whom we suspect of a yearning to pry into our own carefully sequestered affairs of business or the heart. Letters certainly form one of the most valuable, as well as one of the most interesting, sections of literature, or, at least, of literary material, and those collections the publication of which have been the most denounced include the "human documents" which the student of his kind finds most informing.

Anarchists and Individual Independence. Volubly as the more articulate Anarchists talk against any subordination of the individual will, or any limitation of individual action, they yet seem to go about their own business much as other people do, and they carry the principle of obedience to such authority as they recognize to much greater length than do the rest of us. They have an organization—that is, a government—of their own, and, though it is apparently a rather simple one, it is as complex as the nature of their affairs requires.

Theoretically the Anarchists ignore the obvious fact that anarchy is made possible only by isolation, and that the man with neighbors cannot live except on the condition that he and they agree to the loss of certain liberties, the number of them depending roughly upon the number of the neighbors. In practice they observe the necessities of co-operation as far as they see them, and they yield to the natural compulsions of existence.

When they want to raise money they appoint a Treasurer, or allow him to appoint himself, and they expect him to account for moneys received and expended. Only a pretense of equality seems to exist in their "groups," for each has its leader, and these leaders in turn form a powerful aristocracy, issuing orders to the underlings and enforcing obedience by means of rewards and punishments, exactly as do the Governments they declare needless and harmful.

Their intellectual mistake seems to be in holding that because too much government is bad—which nobody denies—any government at all is bad, and that is logic gone crazy, though the Anarchists are far from being the only people who use it. The Anarchists have gone so far around the governmental circle that they stand close to unadulterated despotism. That is to be expected, however, because, if there is no law the autocratic and arbitrary ruler is inevitable.

Hardship of Coal Prices.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The following paragraph is from a circular received by me this morning:

> The coal companies have announced their intention of making the opening price on coal on the first day of April the lowest of the season, and advancing it each month thereafter at the rate of 10 cents per ton until Sept. 1.

Therefore coal of the same quality will be 50 cents higher in September than it is in April. To people of means who are able to buy their supply in April this is not important, but it seems to me to work a great hardship on the poor, who are obliged to buy from hand to mouth.

I. BOTTOMLEY.

New York, March 31, 1908.

He Can't Believe It.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In an article entitled "Planning a Big Experiment," which appeared on the editorial page of THE TIMES this morning, credence was given—with reservations, it is true—to the recent report that 500,000 women of Illinois would try to influence by mental telepathy the vote on the prohibition question. As a native of Illinois, a son of an Illinois woman, and a lover of an Illinois woman, (my wife,) I protest chivalrously against any credence whatever being given such a report. Illinois women do not nourish such faddish fancies as applied telepathy.

C. J. R.

New York, April 1, 1908.

High Car Steps Again.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

All women, the old and feeble, children, &c., bitterly complain of the height of the steps of the new cars.

What a lack of judgment somewhere! Many cannot climb. What shall be done?

M. C.

New York, April 1, 1908.

SECRET POLICE AND ANARCHY

David Graham Phillips Objects to Gen. Bingham's Proposal.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

At first glance Commissioner Bingham's request for $100,000 for a secret police is undoubtedly attractive. There certainly are truly appalling conditions of covert licensing of our criminal and semi-criminal classes of the lower strata. But I venture to believe if Gen. Bingham were to look into the secret police system of the big Continental capitals he would himself be the first to oppose his own proposal.

To cite only the instance of the capital of the other great republic—Paris—it has admittedly the most efficient secret police force in the world. Yet the Apaches, similar to our Black Hand gangs, but worse, flourish all but unchecked; murders are more frequent than in New York, and, I believe, robberies and that kind of crimes also. The reason is that Paris, like New York, is an international city, a magnet for the criminally minded of all Europe. As for its secret police, while they do occasionally make a clever coup against criminals, they are chiefly employed to make political capital for home or international use; and to show their importance and to increase their appropriation, they concoct crimes and outrages.

Thanks to the carelessness of New Yorkers about decent government, our present police force is to a great extent an instrument of blackmail and oppression. A secret police force would be even worse. And to increase its own power, to get a million instead of a petty hundred thousand, it would establish conditions similar to the Apaches of Paris, beside whom our Black Handers, black and vicious though they are, seem almost white and almost harmless.

If Gen. Bingham does so badly as he himself confesses with the present agencies, why should he do better with another and far less manageable agency, composed as it necessarily would be of men drawn from the same class, the class that knows the under world by association? And how about his successors?

Secret police have not stopped "Anarchist" outrages in the Continent. Why should they here? Do not the English and the Swiss manage that sort of insane best? Believing that to close mouths is to stop the safety valve, they permit talk without limit. Then they treat the criminal as a common criminal. It seems to me we would do well to cease inflating that sort of criminal cranks as semi-political persons, and to deal with them as dangerous lunatics. I see no politics, no "grave menace to free institutions" in the doings of ignorant, crazed creatures, issuing from dingy top rooms to run amuck with dynamite. It seems hysteria to me to take them so seriously to call homicidal mania political propaganda.

DAVID GRAHAM PHILLIPS.

New York, March 31, 1908.

The Throwing of the Bomb.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I am willing to swear on a stack of Bibles or Prince Kropotkin's works, if you like it, that the throwing of the bomb in Union Square was not incited by any police brutality. The whole plot was preconceived, for was not the thrower versed in chemistry, and did he not purchase chemicals with which to manufacture the bomb? And it is not likely that it was constructed between the time that he could have received any rough handling from the police and the time he threw the bomb. Our policemen are deserving of great credit.

JENNINGS ORLANDO NELSON.

New York, March 31, 1908.

Result of Suppressing Reformers.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Let me for one vigorously protest against the editorial in your paper of Monday, March 30, headed "The False Teachers and Their Dupes."

If we suppress these reformers we can look to Russia's present condition for a result or to the French Revolution.

A PROTESTOR.

Stockbridge, Mass., March 31, 1908.

Bingham a Despot.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

It savors too much of despotism and Russia when the Police Commissioner of New York City warns a man like Mr. Robert Hunter to "behave," for if he does not "he will be sorry."

JOS. MILTON.

New York, March 31, 1908.

THE HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES.

A Young Couple Seek Counsel of Older Heads.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I am addressing you with the hope that some of your experienced readers may be prompted to comment on the practicability of matrimony on $35 a week, with fairly reasonable prospects of advancement on the part of the one contemplating the step.

As a working basis, the following weekly apportionment was considered: Rent, $10; household expenses, $10; wife's allowance, $5; husband's allowance, $5; contingencies or rainy day fund, $5.

The household expenses are not supposed to cover the cost of fitting up a home, but are intended to provide for living and incidental charges. The writer is reasonably sure that $5 will cover carfare, lunch money and clothing requirements for himself, but he is in doubt as to whether a woman can provide for her personal wants at the same figure. Both have been wage-earners and are of comparatively simple taste in their regulation lives as well as in their recreations and amusements.

FIDES IN MATRIMONIUM.

New York, March 31, 1908.

Joseph Howard's Influence.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Joseph Howard is dead, but the good he did lives after him. I never knew him, or even ever met him, yet he has exerted a powerful influence for good in my life for many years. I came to this city eighteen years ago, a raw country lad, with an educational equipment as ragged as my purse and ambition plus. My start was of the humblest, and discouragements, though they did not stifle ambition, made me, I fear, "cranky," not a lovable trait. About this time I was reading The Recorder—that's gone, too—in which Howard had a daily column. Many are the fatherly words of wisdom I culled from that column, but chief of all was the valuable lesson: To be cheerful.

L. SMITH.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 1, 1908.

WHAT THE WIRES SAY.

"I bear a message through the air
Of awful mis'ry and despair."

"My message is quite soft and low,
In which the sweetest greetings flow."

"The world I'm telling in a flash
Of some immense commercial crash."

"I hurry with a loving tale,
'Meet me at nine, dear, without fail!'"

"I'm striving but to be in time
To stop a heinous plotted crime."

"And I—the last—I merely state,
'The mail's on time; the Pullman's late!'"

LA TOUCHE HANCOCK.

PHYSICIANS ON VIVISECTION.

Rainy Day Clubwomen Hear Arguments Against Pending Legislation.

The Rainy Day Club, at its regular meeting at the Hotel Astor yesterday afternoon, listened to two papers favoring vivisection and directed against the bills to regulate the practice now before the Legislature.

"I have been experimenting in vivisection more than twenty-five years in this country and Germany," said Dr. Frederick S. Lee, "and I have never seen a long-drawn-out or continuous operation upon animals in which anesthetics were not used. We perform constantly with anesthetics, but it is possible that to-morrow a case might come up where, for obvious reasons, it would be best not to use them, and where we would be hampered by these bills.

"There is much work done in tunnels at the present time, and the cause and cure of the caisson disease, or 'bends,' have been discovered by experiments upon animals. Such a thing would not have been possible under the conditions required by these bills.

"It is said that the English law governing vivisection is satisfactory, but it is not so. I know many English surgeons, and they are constantly hampered by it, and English surgery is far behind American surgery because of this law.

"And, don't believe in these circulars," said Mr. Lee, holding up an anti-vivisection pamphlet with a distressing picture. "I have gone to the source of each one of these statements, and they are either misrepresentations or absolutly false. The most important misrepresentation is the suppression of the fact that anesthetics are used."

Dr. Sarah J. McNutt said that in her practice she had never seen vivisection operations without complete anesthesia. She took women to task for their treatment of animals.

"How about mice?" she asked. "You set a trap, the animal struggles in it all night, and even then, instead of putting it out of its misery you give it to the cat, which tortures it for hours.

"The medical body of New York is a civilized body of educated and humane men and women. You trust yourselves to them when it is a matter of life and death; cannot you trust them when they are acquiring more light and knowledge through experimentation?"

OSTEOPATHS NOT DOCTORS.

Acting Corporation Counsel Says Law Excludes Them from Medical Practice.

Acting Corporation Counsel George L. Sterling yesterday delivered an opinion to the Board of Health in which he argued that osteopaths should not be registered as physicians by the board. He recommended that they should not be considered physicians within the meaning of the law in the case of the death of a person, and that the whole question be investigated and passed upon by a court.

"The practice of osteopathy is mentioned as distinct from the practice of medicine," the opinion reads. "The result is that the holder of a license to practice osteopathy is not allowed to practice medicine except so far as osteopathy enters into the field of medicine. The holders of such a license derive from the act no new right except the privilege of practicing osteopathy, provided neither drugs nor surgical instruments are used."

LOTOS CLUB WINS SUIT.

Entitled to Keep Purchaser's $75,000 Deposit, Court Decides.

The Lotos Club, which is planning to leave its old quarters in Fifth Avenue for a modern $800,000 home in West Fifty-seventh Street, has just won a legal fight involving the clubhouse which it will soon vacate.

The old clubhouse was sold for $750,000 in 1907, and the purchaser paid $75,000 down. Later he rejected the title on the ground that the building encroached upon Fifth Avenue, and claimed that he was entitled to the return of his deposit of $75,000.

The club contended that the encroachment, if any, was authorized by law, and did not constitute a defect of title, and that the club was entitled to retain the $75,000 by reason of the purchaser's default. This view of the case has just been sustained by Justice Truax.

The club has just let a contract for the building of its new clubhouse to Mark Eidlitz & Co., and work will begin at once on the building. The house will occupy the plot at 110 and 114 West Fifty-seventh Street. It will be a six-story building of stone and brick, and equipped with all conveniences for club life. On the top floor will be a banquet hall large enough to accommodate 450 persons.

The club has a membership of 1,000 and a large waiting list. Its new home will be ready for occupancy about Jan. 1.

WORK HORSE PARADE PLANS.

Cab and Dock-Tailed Horses Ineligible—To be Held May 30.

The second annual parade of the work horses of New York City will be held on May 30, with a route through Madison Square, Fifth Avenue, and adjacent streets below Twenty-third Street. This is the continuation of the plan put into operation last Spring of giving the work horses a show of their own, for the success of the original undertaking was so marked that the work horse parade was placed on a permanent basis by the Women's Auxiliary of the A. S. P. C. A. Mrs. Cadwalader Jones is President of the auxiliary, Mrs. Edward Wharton Vice President, and Mrs. James Speyer Treasurer.

The parade is open to all classes of work horses, with the exception of those used for hacks and cabs, and entries will be received after May 1 from any one in the Borough of Manhattan by Thomas F. McCarthy of 377 Broadway, the manager of the parade. Dock-tailed horses may not be entered, and the newness or value of wagon or harness will not count in the award of prizes. There will be a special class for veteran horses that have been at least ten years in service and one for horses in city departments.

TEACHERS' TRIP TO EUROPE.

Sir Alfred Mosley Coming Here Soon to Arrange for the Visit.

Sir Alfred Mosley of England is expected to arrive in this city in about ten days to consult with Superintendent of Schools Maxwell regarding the proposed visit to Europe this Spring of twenty teachers from this city. Besides the teachers who go from here 480 others, making 500 in all, will go from other sections of the country probably in parties of 100 each.

Sir Alfred was one of the prime movers in the visit a year or so ago of 500 English teachers to America, and is a warm admirer of the public school system in this country, particularly as conducted in this city. The National Civic Federation, which proposed the visit of American teachers to Europe, has had from the start his active co-operation.

Supt. Maxwell has already placed in the hands of all the teachers and principals of the city the plan of application, and the competition is certain to be keen. Each successful applicant will receive six weeks' leave of absence with full pay.

MUSEUM GETS NOTED MANTEL.

Paris Prize Winner by Cheret Taken from the Isaac L. Rice House.

The famous mantel designed by Cheret, in the Isaac L. Rice mansion at Riverside Drive and Eighty-ninth Street, has been presented to the Metropolitan Museum of Art by Solomon Schinasi, who purchased the Rice property several months ago.

The mantel, 12 feet wide and 13 feet high, is of Caen stone, elaborately carved, with a life-size female figure at either side. It was exhibited at the Paris Exposition in 1900 and received the highest award among works of its class.

LEWISOHN'S ART IS LIKE MILLET'S

His Peasant Scenes Bear Strong Resemblance to Those of His Famous Predecessor.

VIGOR IN ALL HIS FIGURES

"Going to School" Typical of His Best Efforts—His "Young Italian" a Masterwork.

The exhibition of Raphael Lewisohn's paintings at the Oehme Galleries, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-second Street, has been continued beyond the date originally announced for its closing on account of the interest displayed in the work, which stands for individuality and power and for that intelligent use of material and method characteristic of the French school.

This clear intelligence sets its mark on the collection as a whole, and it is interesting to observe how free from uncertainty or vagueness the technique is both in the earlier and in the later pictures. The idea has been perfectly clear in the painter's mind, and its expression is in a vocabulary as terse and definite as the vocabulary of science.

Mr. Lewisohn paints subjects not unlike those chosen by Millet and his follower, Jules Breton—reapers, sowers, tillers of the soil, peasant children, old men and old women; but he paints them in the manner and with the feeling of the present time.

The fashion of art has turned toward the movement not only of figures, but of air. To Millet the gesture of his peasant was an indispensable element of his picture; how much research he gave to it we can judge from his letter to Sensier on "The New-Born Calf," but the action of the atmosphere, the stir and vibration of the air and light, were of less concern to him.

To-day a painter who should appear indifferent to this problem would be judged as deliberately setting himself behind his age and outside of his proper artistic environment. Mr. Lewisohn is an admirable example of the opposite tendency. He makes full use of the equipment possible to a conscientious painter at the present moment. He is neither contemptuous of the past nor untrained in academic conventions. He studied for a time under Bouguereau and others, whose aesthetic ideal no longer is adopted by students of art.

How thoroughly he can model the human figure may be seen in his "Young Italian," the nude figure of a lad of fourteen or fifteen years, drawn with a flexible line, a profound knowledge of anatomy, a supple, learned modeling that presents the slim shoulders and gaunt young limbs with their youthful character of color and form. He is at his best, however, in his scenes of the street or the field, where he discriminates among a thousand possible themes in favor of those that most suggest the combined depth and gayety of the sweet French landscape: The long perspectives, the fugitive effects of sunlight and shadow playing over the outdoor world, the unconventional attitudes of people at home in their surroundings.

The two pictures that might fairly be chosen to represent the painter on the side of his most spontaneous and expressive achievement are the "Going to School" and a large canvas with a family group in the foreground at the end of a long street, up which one looks to the horizon line. The former is a very simple composition, with the figure of a child standing in the fields, her books under her arm. Her face is in shadow, and she is seen against the illumined shadow of the field. Her attitude is childlike, she stands clumsily, shuffling a little with her feet, and hangs her head with the gesture of shyness. She is rather big and has little enough beauty of feature. Nothing about her prosaic personality has been omitted, yet there in the sunny landscape, blonde and young and uncivilized, and part of a cheerful color scheme, she is artistically beautiful and charming.

The street scene, with its scientific arrangement of tones, its decorative composition, its long line of humble dwellings, exquisite in the golden radiance of the sunlight that pours down upon them; its admirable perspective, its firm, logical drawing, is a picture in which both the idea and its expression are worthy of great respect.

Possibly, this is Mr. Lewisohn's chief merit—that his idea is invariably worth while and that he is willing to support it with the greatest possible expenditure of intelligence and skill.

BRANDUS ART SALE.

First Lot of the Noted Collection Goes Under the Hammer.

The first lot of the Edward Brandus collection of ancient and modern paintings was sold last night at the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries, Fifth Avenue and Forty-fifth Street, bringing $32,297. There were fifty-four pictures, the highest price being paid by P. M. West of St. Louis for a portrait of Miss Elisabeth Sufnell, by John Hoppner, $6,200. Mr. West bought several other pictures.

Following are the paintings bringing $100 and over, the names of artists, buyers, and prices:

Adrian Schulz, Pool in Forest of Fontainbleau, to J. A. Parker	$110
Sir William Beechey, Mrs. Vernon, to Louis Katz	145
Robert Tournieres, Mme. De Montlucon, to Mrs. E. R. Ladew	225
Julien Dupre, Return Home, to J. A. Parker	425
Jean Le Ducq, The Troubadour, to E. H. Archer	200
William A. Bouguereau, Youth, to F. R. McCausland	3,000
Johan Van Huchtenburg, Portrait of a Man, to William Trotter	250
Madame Vigee-Lebrun, Madame Raymond, to A. W. Weston	280
Louis, Kratke, Meeting of the Two Emperors at Presbourg, 1805, to W. W. Robertson	220
Louis Lagrenee, Madame De Saint Aubin, to Harry A. Cass	900
Pierre Danloux, Portrait of a Lady, to J. A. Stursburg	250
Alexandre Gabriel Decamps, Child and Horse, to L. Ralston	1,300
Ecole Ombrienne, Virgin and Child, to E. J. Conant	200
Frederic Ede, The Little Bridge, to E. H. Archer	140
Frederic Ede, Shepherd and His Flock, to Patterson	150
Frederic Ede, The Stream Through the Fields, to S. Russell, agent	190
Francois (Baron) Gerard, Madame Recamier, to E. Gimpel	1,400
Pierre Mignard, Queen Marie Theresa, Wife of Louis XIV., to L. A. Zanthier	180
George Romney, Lady Hester Amelia De Burgh, Sister of the Thirteenth Earl of Clarnicarde, to P. M. West	1,150
Emile Levy, Peasant Girl from the Roman Campania, to J. L. Newborg	160
David Teniers, Dutch Interior, to J. A. Adams	175
Leon Richet, Farm in Normandy, to J. F. Mather	450
John Opie, Fortune Teller, to J. L. Newborg	170
J. B. C. Corot, Ruins in Italie, to Harry A. Cass	1,350
Maurice Quentin-Latour, Mademoiselle De Puvigny, to Louis Katz	110
Aimé Perret, In the Fields of Barbizon, to J. A. Parker	450
Aimé Perret, The Harvester's Meal, to J. A. Parker	375
Hogarth, David Garrick, to Mrs. E. R. Ladew	240
Alexandre Louis Leloir, The Rose, to George F. Coster	200
Maurice Jacquet, The Letter, to H. Hirshberg	155
Hyacinthe Rigaud, La Duchesse de Lesdiguieres, to R. Gimpel	850
Cesare Detti, Louis XIII. Herald, to A. J. Stursburg	305
Jean Lazerges, Arab, to George F. Coster	100
Herman Van Der Myn, Portrait of a Young Woman with Flowers, to W. W. Robertson	820
Frits Thaulow, Greenhouses, to J. J. Thomas	575
Sir Thomas Lawrence, Mrs. Mackworth Praed, to R. Gimpel	4,100
Gustave Jacquet, The Love Song, to J. Herresa	1,000
Pourbus Francois, Portrait of the Duc D'Alençon, Afterward Henri III., King of France, to A. Andrews	125
Robert Tournieres, La Duchesse d'Orleans, to P. M. West	2,200
John Hoppner, Miss Elizabeth Sufnell, to P. M. West	6,200
George Henry Harlow, R. A., Countess of Essex, to George F. Coster	300
Louis Tocque, Louis de France, Dauphin, Son of Louis XV., Born 1720, Died 1765, to C. L. Blodgett	450
Jan Van Mabuse, The Virgin with the Infant and an Angel, to A. Wilcox	575
Antonio Torres, My Pretty Cousin of Barcelona, to J. N. Nicholson	225
Antonio Torres, Mignon, to H. Newington	140

HILL INCIDENT HELPS THE EMBASSY BILLS

House Committee Hears Arguments for Purchase of Buildings in Europe.

$5,000,000 IS CALLED FOR

Said That Mrs. Hill Enjoys Income of $10,000 Yearly—Cauldwell Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The Tower-Hill incident is expected to stir activity in Congress in regard to bills now pending for the purchase by the Government of embassies in European capitals.

The sub-committee of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, of which Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, is Chairman, to-day held a hearing on the five House bills now under discussion. Representatives Perkins and Nicholas Longworth were among those who addressed the committee.

Mr. Longworth's bill calls for a lump sum of $5,000,000 for the purchase of embassies in the chief European capitals. It was pointed out that if this country had owned an embassy in Berlin the question of Dr. Hill's ability financially to hold up American prestige in that city would probably never have been raised.

It is said here that, although Dr. Hill is in no sense a poor man, he has not the possession of sufficient fortune to enable him to maintain a pretentious establishment such as American Ambassadors have set up in European capitals.

His wife is reputed to have about $10,000 a year, which is hardly sufficient to support an elaborate embassy.

Frederick W. Cauldwell, the Consular Clerk at Berlin, whose private conversation with the German Emperor has been given prominence in connection with the Hill persona non grata incident reported in person to the State Department to-day.

Mr. Cauldwell disclaimed any knowledge of the incident, but added that he had come to America very unexpectedly. He is on leave, and had planned to go to Italy.

ROME, April 1.—Lloyd C. Griscom, the American Ambassador to Italy, was asked to-day with reference to the appointment of Dr. David Jayne Hill as the American Ambassador at Berlin to succeed Charlemagne Tower, whether it was true that the German Emperor wished him (Mr. Griscom) to go as Ambassador to Berlin. Mr. Griscom replied that it was not his affair and he had nothing to say in regard to the incident.

GOTHAM CLUB GHOST DANCE.

Celebrated April Fool's Day by a Variety of Mystic Rites.

The Gotham Club "occulted" last night at the Hotel Prince George, 14 East Twenty-eighth Street, and April Fool's Day was celebrated by a medley of fortune telling, ghost dances, crystal gazing, telepathic experiments, dream analyses, palm and tea leaf readings, Indian dances, amateur and professional "incantations," and table rappings. With this array of psychic phenomena it will be seen that the evening was as occult as possible, although it was difficult to follow the complicated programme.

The Gotham Club is an organization of men and women of which Mrs. Alfred Arthur A. Brooks is President. She frequently arranges remarkable evenings for the club.

The April Fool's Day guests were Princess Red Wing, a young aboriginal who sings "Navajo" and "Arrowanna" with great fidelity to pitch; "Young Deer," a Carlisle graduate; "Chief Charging Hawk," and "Ramaswami," a Brahmin priest, thus bringing together the East Indian and North American Indian. Mrs. Brooks had arranged as a climax for the evening a real ghost dance.

The invitations stated distinctly, "Bring a sheet; prizes for the most awkward and most graceful ghosts," and after the incantations and uncanny scenes, Mrs. Brooks announced the cakewalk of the apparitions. The lights were extinguished and the assembly huddled together under sheets.

Mrs. Brooks was ghost extraordinary, and moaned like the ghosts of Mr. Poe are wont to do. Miss Imogene King was another prominent apparition, and the two had a close run for first honor.

READING BY MRS. DELAND.

$500 Realized for the Consumers' League from Entertainment.

In the interest of the Consumers' League Mrs. Margaret Deland read an unpublished story, entitled "The Encore," for the first time yesterday morning at the residence of Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, 4 West Fifty-eighth Street. More than $500 was realized from the entertainment. Among those present were Mrs. Gilbert Jones, Mrs. Seth Barton French, Mrs. George Grant Mason, Mrs. Arthur Mason Jones, Miss Anita Peabody, and Miss Lydia Mason Jones.

Among the officers of the League are:

Mrs. Frederick Nathan, President; Miss Helen Phelps Stokes, Mrs. Hugh Munroe Dewees, Miss Alice H. Day, Miss Anita Neilson, Mrs. George K. B. Wade, Miss Louise T. Caldwell, Mrs. Alfred Chapin, Mrs. Joseph Choate, Mrs. Robert Fulton Cutting, Miss Grace Dodge, Miss Iselin, Mrs. Seth Low, Mrs. Henry C. Potter, Mrs. William S. Rainsford, Mrs. Douglas Robinson, Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, Mrs. Spencer Trask, and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt.

Mrs. Deland, the author, is much interested in the welfare of the league, and offered to read one of her unpublished stories as a contribution to the cause.

The object of the league is to benefit shop girls and others of the working classes, and to regulate child labor.

CAST OF CHARITY COMEDY.

Mrs. James B. Eustis to Play Heroine's Role in Neurasthenia.

Several changes have been made in the cast of "Neurasthenia," the comedy by Frank Crowinshield, which is to be produced by amateurs for the benefit of the Downtown Nursery at the Plaza on Tuesday, April 21. The cast has now been completed. Mrs. James B. Eustis will play the heroine. The other players will be the Misses Gertrude Sheldon, Rosamond Street, Leila Bryce, Katherine Atterbury, and Margaret Dix, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roscoe Matthews, and Buell Hollister, Chalmers Wood and Lydig Hoyt.

The presentation of the play, which is a satire on the prevailing "rest cure," will occupy about forty-five minutes. A vaudeville entertainment will precede it. Miss Evelyn Parsons, who is arranging the vaudeville, has secured a number of society amateurs for various acts. Among them are two sons of James Lawrence Breese, who will do fancy clog dancing. Miss Rosamond Street will play piano solos, and Miss Porter, of Boston, will give monologues.

Among the managers of the entertainment are Mrs. W. Earle Dodge, Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, Mrs. Moses Taylor Pyne, Mrs. Frank Bishop, Mrs. Frederick Kernochan, Mrs. John Magee, Miss Chalmers, Miss Iselin, and Miss Evelyn Parsons.

FOOD.

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Old-Time Health, Eating Grape-Nuts

"I had been sick for 10 years with dyspepsia and a lot of complications," wrote an Ark. woman.

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"I told my husband I was going to try some kind of predigested food to see if I could keep from this feeling of continued hunger.

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"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

DUCHESS CONSUELO SAILS.

Returns to England on Mauretania in Company with Alfred Vanderbilt.

Among those sailing on the Cunarder Mauretania, which left yesterday for Liverpool, were Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and his cousin, the Duchess of Marlborough.

In a brief interview with the reporters on the deck of the Mauretania the Duchess of Marlborough, who looked radiantly happy, said that she was going over to see her children, and would not visit America again until the Autumn. The Duchess added that she was very sorry to go, as her visit had been a most enjoyable one.

When congratulated on her speech of Tuesday night, and asked if she had not been nervous, the Duchess laughed and said:

"I did not feel half so nervous in making my speech at the Waldorf-Astoria last night as I do when I am interviewed by reporters."

Among the relatives and friends who came to see the Duchess off were Mr. and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Harold Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Worthington Whitehouse.

In the morning, before sailing, the Duchess, with Mrs. Field, her cousin, visited the Board of Health office, at Fifty-sixth Street and Sixth Avenue, and went through all the departments, accompanied by Dr. Darlington. Afterward Dr. Darlington was invited to accompany the party to St. Luke's Hospital, and they went to the hospital in the Duchess's automobile.

In addition to 500 cabin passengers and the mails, the Mauretania carried 1,400 steerage passengers and had to turn away 400.

Gertrude Quinlan, who created the part of Flora Wiggins in the "College Widow" here, sailed on the Mauretania to play the part in London, beginning April 20. Numerous jokes were played on people on the Cunard pier by their friends, who remembered that it was April 1.

SOCIETY IN LIVING PICTURES.

Washington Leaders to Appear in Tableaux Vivants for Charity.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The smartest event in a series of Lenten charities is scheduled for to-morrow at the Belasco Theatre, when a score of Washington beauties, maids and matrons of the most exclusive set, will pose in tableaus under the direction of H. D. Millet, who is managing the entertainment for Miss Boardman and Miss Gwynn.

The Baroness Moncheur, wife of the Minister from Belgium; Mrs. Bourke Cockran, the Misses May, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry May; Miss Emily Bacon of Boston, and Miss Oliver, daughter of the Assistant Secretary of War, are among the participants.

The subjects are famous portraits of ancient and modern masters.

In the groupes of younger belles selling programmes will be Miss Nabuco, daughter of the Amabssador from Brazil; Miss Mary Scott, Miss Juliette Williams, Miss Eleanor Parker, Miss Denny, Miss Jarvis, and Miss Evelyn Chew.

George Peabody Eustiss is passing a week in Washington, the guest of his brother, William Eustiss. Mr. and Mrs. William C. Eustiss will shortly go abroad for a year's absence.

Gen. and Mrs. H. S. Hawkins are entertaining Mrs. George Gray of Delaware, in whose honor Mrs. Hawkins will give a large luncheon on Friday. Mrs. Gray will remain in Washington through the Easter season.

Col. and Mrs. Henry Watterson arrived in Washington to-day to remain a week or ten days.

Count and Countess Carrmer of Germany, recent guests at the German Embassy, left Washington to-day for the West.

Mrs. Nelson Dingley of Maine has arrived for a visit of several weeks to her daughter, Mrs. James Cecil Hooe.

EXHIBIT OF MINIATURES.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland on Reception Committee of Gotham Function.

A loan exhibition of miniatures and medallions was opened yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the Gotham, and will continue this afternoon from 2 until 7. Among the miniaturists represented are William J. Baer, Lucia Fairchild Fuller, Mrs. M. Lesley Bush-Brown, Rhoda Holmes Nichols, Elsie Southwick, Alice Beckington, Thomas R. Manley, Isaac Josephi, Miss Amy Otis, C. F. Howard, and Ava de Lagercrantz.

Members of the reception committee are Mrs. Grover Cleveland, who is expected to be present to-day; Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder, Miss Mary Ursula Whitlock, Mrs. Lucia Fairchild Fuller, Mrs. M. Lesley Bush-Brown, Mrs. Gilbert Colgate, Miss Cecilia Beaux, Mrs. John W. Alexander, Miss Alice Beckington, Mrs. Ella Condie Lamb, William J. Baer, and Richard Watson Gilder.

Going Abroad on the Celtic.

Among those sailing to-day on the White Star liner Celtic are: Robert Adamson, Samuel Bennett, Lady Boughey, Lieut. Col. G. B. Burland, E. H. Butler, Archibald Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colthurst, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fiske, Frank Millet, Audrey C. T. O'Brien, M. K. Page, Miss E. Lucy Ramsay, J. R. Russell, Miss Madeline Sammis, V. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Twyford, C. S. Van Patten, and Mrs. Mabel Yatman Whitman.

Church Christening for Douglas Boy.

The infant son born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas is to be christened at 4 o'clock on Saturday in St. Thomas's Church. The boy will be named J. Gordon, after his father The Rev. Dr. Huntington of Grace Church and the Rev. Dr. Stires of St. Thomas's will officiate. Mrs. Douglas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther W. Kountze. She was married on April 5, 1907.

Miss Anthony to Wed H. F. Sutton.

The engagement is announced in Philadelphia of Miss Mary M. Anthony, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rowan Anthony, to Harold Falconer Sutton of Babylon, L. I. Mr. Sutton is a son of the late Woodruff Sutton. The wedding will take place in June at the Anthony Summer home, Montrose, Penn.

Miss Hubbell to Wed M. T. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bulkley Hubbell announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Juliette Emily Hubbell, to Mason Tyler Adams. Mr. Adams is a son of the late Charles Dickinson Adams of this city, and was graduated from Yale with the class of '99. Miss Hubbell is a sister of the Misses Margaret L. and Ruth T. Hubbell. Their mother before her marriage was Miss Emily Allen Chandler.

Social Notes.

Mrs. Richard Irvin is to preside at the meeting at the Colony Club this afternoon of the Working Girls' Vacation Society.

Mrs. Willard S. Brown is to entertain with bridge this afternoon at 105 East Thirty-fifth Street.

Most of the boxes and seats have been sold for the concert to-morrow at the Waldorf for the benefit of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lying-in Hospital. Miss Farrar and Caruso will sing.

The wedding of Miss Gladys Kissel and James Ely Miller will take place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Church of the Incarnation.

Mrs. M. H. Forrest and H. W. Forrest of Philadelphia, who have returned from Lakewood, N. J.; Mrs. Robert L. Stevens of Castle Point, Hoboken, N. J., and Sir Hubert Jerningham of England, who returned recently from a trip to Montreal, are at the St. Regis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Pruyn of Albany are at the St. Regis.

E. B. Kinney, Jr., will give a concert to-night at the Waldorf-Astoria.

WILL PRODUCE SHAW PLAY.

He Says It Will Be the Last Possible Word on Marriage.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, April 1.—Granville Barker, who is now in New York, has not severed his partnership with J. E. Vedrenne. On the contrary, negotiations were concluded to-day by which Barker and Vedrenne will produce this present season at the Haymarket Theatre a new play by George Bernard Shaw.

Mr. Shaw was apparently fooling the public, as is his wont, when he declared recently that his new play would not be ready for two years, for he is now putting the finishing touches on it.

The subject will be marriage, and Mr. Shaw has announced that it would be the last word that could possibly be said on that question.

MATINEES FOR SEX HATERS.

Man Haters at Daly's and Women Haters at Wallack's Provide Much Fun.

Special April Fool's Day matinées were in progress at Daly's and at Wallack's yesterday. The matinée at Daly's, owing to the satire of Clyde Fitch's play, "Girls," had appropriately been named a "Man Haters' Matinée," and free tickets had been mailed to some 200 women who had sent requests and formally declared themselves as haters of the stronger sex. The matinée across the street, in striking contrast, had been dubbed the "Woman Haters' Matinée"—and the woman haters, it must be admitted, had rather the best of the fun.

At Daly's the man haters came in unobtrusively and took their seats without uproar or comment, relieved to find that their contempt for the male sex had for once served a good purpose. Across the street it was entirely different.

A special box office, inside the rail, had been set aside for the applications of alleged woman haters, of whom more appeared upon the scene than even the busy press agent of "A Knight for a Day" had dared to hope. In this box office were four especially entrancing young women from the company, and it was their pleasant duty to put the applicant "through a course of sprouts" before giving him a free ticket. They had license to try cajolery and all other feminine arguments to make the woman haters relent—and buy seats at the regular prices. And many of the men, who enjoyed the fun as much as the onlookers, relented.

The score or more of brave men who persisted, each received a fool's cap and a free seat. They had each to sign a document stating that they absolutely despised women of all kinds, and agreeing to wear the caps during the performance.

The fun reached its climax a few minutes after the beginning of the performance, when a large banner dropped down over the left-side boxes. This banner bore the strange device: "Human Zoo. Women haters are in these boxes below." The audience broke into a roar of laughter, and the girls on the stage pelted the women haters with rice, hops, and confetti. When some of the men tried to make their escape through the stage door they were literally fallen upon and vanquished by the chorus girls.

"Fidelio" Sung at the Metropolitan.

"Fidelio" was sung for the third and last time this season at the Metropolitan Opera House last evening under the direction of Gustav Mahler. The cast included Mmes. Morena and Alten and Messrs. Burrian, Blass, Goritz, Reiss, and Van Rooy.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

The third piano and violin sonata recital by Mr. and Mrs. David Mannes will be given at the Stuyvesant Theatre on April 12 instead of April 5, as previously announced.

Tom Green, the tenor, who has been singing the leading roles with the Boston Stock Grand Opera Company, is in New York on his way to Washington. During his recent tour of New England he sang in "Il Trovatore," "Rigoletto," "Carmen," "The Bohemian Girl," and "Cavalleria Rusticana."

Father Follows Daughter in Death.

Alfred Lindsay died Tuesday night at his home, 12 Mulford Street, East Orange, after an illness of about a year. His death came a few hours after the death in Philadelphia of his daughter, Mrs. Ella Lindsay Welch, who had been ill one week. The father did not know of his daughter's death. The funeral of the daughter will be held in Philadelphia tomorrow while that of the father will be in East Orange at 4:30 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

Gain weight with Scott's Emulsion

CHANCELLOR DAY IS EXONERATED

Charges in Connection with His Criticisms of Roosevelt Dismissed by Conference.

LAUGHED OUT OF MEETING

Severe Criticism of Bishop Potter and Alleged Statement by Cardinal Gibbons on Race Track Question.

The charges brought against the Rev. Dr. James R. Day, Chancellor of Syracuse University, by the Rev. George A. Cooke of Brandon, Vt., on account of his attacks on President Roosevelt and his policies, were dismissed yesterday by Bishop David H. Moore of Portland, Oregon, at the opening session of the New York Methodist Episcopal Conference at St. James's Church, Madison Avenue and 126th Street, amid the laughter of the 400 brethren present.

The Rev. Mr. Cooke, who is a member of the Troy Conference, filed the charges several weeks ago, alleging that Chancellor Day was guilty of violating Paragraph 30 of the General Rules of the Methodist Episcopal Church, by defaming the character of the President.

The charges enumerated five counts on which the defamation of character was based, liberal quotations from Chancellor Day's book, "The Raid on Prosperity," being cited and particularly the following extract from an interview purported to have been given out by him at Syracuse in May, 1906:

> Anarchy of the sort practiced by President Roosevelt is the most dangerous kind of anarchy. Anarchism in the White House is the most perilous anarchism that has ever threatened our country. It means anarchy if the Judges are to be set aside and their verdicts upheld to criticism by the President.

Bishop Moore, in ruling the charges out of court, said:

> I rule these charges out on the ground, in the first place, that there is attached to them no signature of any member of this conference nor of any man who has been slandered nor his representative.
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> Now allow me to say further that while it is bad policy to mutilate a corpse, it is also bad policy to let these charges die without a little torture. [Loud applause.]
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> I suppose our annual conference is sufficient to judge of the general character and good name of its members, and it ought to be a settled matter that a member of an alien conference cannot attack the character of a member of another conference.
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> The time has come when there should be an amendment to the rules of the General Conference that no man, no matter how high his motives, shall have the right to leap conference bonds and bring charges against another man. The thing has gone too far; it must be stopped. Of course, there is the inalienable right of any man to present complaints, but some member of the conference in which he who is complained against lives must sign the complaint.
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> In the next place these charges are absurd, and might as well be brought against one of the leading Methodists of this country—a Senator of the United States who in the Senate just the other day spoke feelingly of "Executive invasion." There might, I say, be charges brought just as readily against Senator Teller.
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> Any man in public life who has a policy challenges the ruling of the people, who yet, thank God, are the rulers of our country.

A resolution supporting the Agnew anti-racing bill, signed by the Rev. Dr. Thomas S. Bond, pastor of the Thirty-fifth Street Methodist Church, and the Rev. Dr. R. E. Wilson, pastor of the Central Methodist Church, Yonkers, was unanimously passed. Dr. Bond in presenting the resolution said:

"We have the spectacle presented to us of a Protestant Episcopal Bishop opposed to this bill, which would end racing, and to-day we learn from the press dispatches that the head of the Roman Catholic Church in this country, Cardinal Gibbons, is opposed to the racing bill.

"Now, recognizing the historic attitude of the Methodist Church on gambling, it is high time that we took some action. I move the following resolutions:

> "The New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in annual conference assembled in New York City, and representing more than 400 churches and 60,000 members, heartily indorses and earnestly urges the passage of the Agnew-Hart Anti-Gambling bill.
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> "Resolved, That a copy of this resolution, signed by the Presiding Bishop and Secretary, be telegraphed at once to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and Senator Agnew."

As Chancellor Day left the church after adjournment he was asked if he considered that he had been vindicated. "I should think so; don't you?" he replied.

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MINISTERS WITH HUGHES.

Brooklyn Methodist Clergy Indorse Anti-Gambling Bills.

When the sixtieth session of the New York East Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church was opened yesterday in the Hanson Place Church, Brooklyn, resolutions urging the passage by the State Senate of the anti-race track gambling bills were adopted. A message petitioning the Senate to take such action was wired to Albany.

The conference then unanimously "sat upon" the Rev. George A. Cooke, of the Troy Conference, who renewed his charges of "scandal and misrepresentation" against the Rev. Dr. James M. Buckley, founded upon an article in the Christian Advocate, of which Dr. Buckley is editor.

HARRIS BUYS THE HUDSON.

Theatrical Manager Pays $700,000 for Playhouse in West 44th Street.

Henry B. Harris, the theatrical manager, has bought the Hudson Theatre, in West Forty-fourth Street. The title to the property was transferred to Mr. Harris yesterday, making him sole owner of the playhouse formerly owned by George G. Heye. The sum paid was approximately $700,000.

The Hudson Theatre was built by the R. H. MacDonald Construction Company under the supervision of Mr. Harris, and was intended to be the permanent New York home of his stars. Ethel Barrymore, in "Cousin Kate," was the opening attraction on Oct. 19, 1903. Mr. Harris is also owner of the Hackett Theatre, in West Forty-second Street, which he bought last year for $400,000, during the long engagement there of "The Chorus Lady," one of his attractions.

Though Mr. Harris has been a producing theatrical manager for only six years, his theatrical properties in New York are valued at more than $1,000,000, and he has under his management seven stars and eleven productions. The great success of Charles Klein's famous play, "The Lion and the Mouse," which is still being played on tour under the Harris management by no less than four companies, was largely responsible for the rise of the manager.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Eugene Ormonde has been engaged by L. S. Sire to support Henry E. Dixey in his new production of "Papa Lebbonard," which is to open at the Bijou Theatre on April 9.

Next Wednesday evening will be "Automobile Night" at the Majestic Theatre, where Williams and Walker will give a special performance of "Bandanna Land" to automobile carnival visitors. Williams and Walker will repeat to-night the special anniversary programme first seen on Tuesday.

The fiftieth performance of "Paid in Full" will take place next Wednesday night at the Astor Theatre.

Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr., has engaged Billie Reeves to play a special part, which will be written for him, in the new musical revue, "The Follies of 1908," which is to open the first week in June.

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The Easter Number of The New York Times, which will be published next Sunday, will include superb reproductions, in colors and half-tones, of six splendid paintings by artists of international reputation. Each of these paintings will be fully worthy of framing. They are:

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Good Friends...............By WAGNER
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Two full pages will be given to the presentation, in fitting colors, of Makoffski's great painting, "Russian Wedding Feast." Nothing finer has ever been offered to the readers of a newspaper.

The Easter Number of The Times will also include a section devoted entirely to a presentation of the fashions for women during the Spring and Summer seasons. The material for this section has been obtained by this paper from the leading modistes and milliners of Paris and New York.

The designs are authoritative in every instance and they will be shown perfectly, in every detail, in an eight page section, of full size, printed on super-calendered paper. The designs include gowns of many sorts suitable for morning, afternoon and evening wear, and millinery for all possible occasions. In all, this Fashion Section will be one high above the ordinary productions along this line—one of quite unusual attractiveness and of real value to women.

Orders for The Times' Easter Number should be placed with newsdealers at once. The edition will undoubtedly be sold out very early next Sunday and it is advisable, to insure its receipt, that newsdealers should be notified well in advance of that day.

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MORTIMER MURDOCK DEAD.

Old-Time Shakespearean Actor and Playwright Was 86 Years of Age.

Special to The New York Times.

BRIDGEWATER, Mass., April 1.—Mortimer Murdock, aged 86 years, died at his home here yesterday. He was an actor, author, and playwright.

Mr. Murdock was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, in 1822. His work as an actor was principally in Shakespearean dramas. As an author he wrote forty plays, including "The Hoop of Gold," "The Brave Woman," and "Down in the Sea."

Alexander Campau.

Special to The New York Times.

DETRIOT, April 1.—Alexander Macomb Campau died here to-day, aged 84. He was a direct descendant of the Jacques Campau who came here with Cadillac founded the city.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

Tompkins & Tompkins, Counselors-at-Law, 156 Fifth Avenue. Wills. Probate of Wills.

Married.

GREENFIELD—NEWLIN.—On March 30, 1908, by the Rev. George Clarke Houghton, D. D., in the rectory of the Church of the Transfiguration, Grace Whitemore Newlin to Arthur Dean Greenfield.

MITTENTHAL—KLOPFER.—On March 31, Ethel Klopfer to Harry E. Mittenthal.

SCHLOSS—STERN.—On March 30, Ruth Stern to Hugo N. Schloss.

Died.

BRINCKERHOFF.—On Wednesday, April 1, Mary J. Brinckerhoff, aged 84 years, widow of James W. Brinckerhoff, at her residence, 36 St. John's Place, Brooklyn. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

DAVIS.—On Tuesday, March 31, 1908, Louis H., beloved husband of Eva, and father of Jerome L. Davis. Funeral Friday, 9:30 A. M., from his late residence, The Manhasset, 300 West 109th St., city.

EVERITT.—At the home of his son, C. B. Everitt, 99 Courtley Av., Newburg, N. Y., Oscar Everitt. Funeral from the residence of his son, Friday morning, April 3, at 10:30 o'clock.

HIGBIE.—On Wednesday, April 1, Mrs. Phebe S. Higbie, in her 89th year. Funeral from her late residence, Springfield, L. I., Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

HOLLY.—On Wednesday, March 11, 1908, at Colon, Isthmus of Panama, Edwin S. Holly of Stamford, Conn., son of the late Edwin S. and Mary E. Holly. Funeral services will be held at St. John's Church, Stamford, Conn., on Friday, April 3, at 3 P. M. Carriages awaiting the arrival of 2:01 train from New York.

HOWARD.—At his residence, the Nevada, New York City, on Tuesday, March 31, 1908, Joseph Howard, Jr., son of the late John Tasker and Susan T. Howard, husband of the late Anna Gregg, in his 75th year. Funeral services will be held in the lecture room of Plymouth Church, Orange Street, between Henry and Hicks Streets, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Friday afternoon, April 3, at 2:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery. Out-of-town papers please copy.

HOWLAND.—On March 31, 1908, at 200 Claremont Av., Horace Howland, son of the late Benjamin J. Howland of this city, in the 69th year of his age. Funeral services in the chapel of the Church of the Messiah, Park Avenue and 34th St., Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

McALLISTER.—On March 31, 1908, at San Rafael, Cal., Ward McAllister, son of the late Ward McAllister and of Sarah T. McAllister, in the 52d year of his age. Funeral services will be held in San Rafael, Thursday, April 2. Interment in the family vault, Greenwood Cemetery, New York.

MILBANK.—Suddenly, on Monday, March 30, Maria Louisa (Wakeman,) wife of the late Robert Milbank, M. D. Funeral services at her late residence, 154 West 48th St., Thursday, April 2, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Greenwood at convenience of family.

ROBB.—In Baltimore, on March 23, Charles Robb, aged 81, at one time a resident of New Orleans.

ROCKWELL.—At Long Beach, Cal., on March 31, after a short illness, Anne Randall, wife of John Rockwell, formerly of Tarrytown, N. Y. Interment at Norwich, Conn.

SCHROEDER.—On Tuesday, March 31, 1908, Harmon Schroeder, (born in Rhade, Germany,) in his 88th year. Funeral services Lutheran Church of the Atonement, 140th St. and Edgecombe Av, (take 6th Av. "L,") Friday at 2 P. M.

SCHUYLER.—Suddenly, at Bloomfield, N. J., March 31, 1908, Arent Henry Schuyler, in the 48th year of his age. Funeral at Christ Church, Belleville, N. J., on Friday, April 3, at 2:30 P. M.

SILBERMANN.—At 880 Willis Av., April 1, Louis Silbermann. Funeral Friday, April 3, 9:30 A. M.

STARK.—At Mangalore, India, on March 28, Gilbert Little Stark, member of class 1907, Yale; home, Saginaw, Mich.

STEPHENS.—At her late residence, 28 East 54th St., New York City, on Wednesday, April 1, Clemence Lloyd, eldest daughter of the late Benjamin and Hannah Maria Stephens. Funeral services will be held at St. Thomas's Church, 53d St. and 5th Av., on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

THURBER.—At Port Washington, L. I., April 1, 1908, James K. Thurber. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BARRITT.—At the Seney Hospital, March 31, Annie Barritt. Interment to-morrow.

BAUSCHERT.—At Orange, N. J., March 31, Marie Bauschert, aged 80. Funeral to-day.

BLANCHARD.—At 217 North 7th St., March 30, Anna M. Blanchard.

BERNSTEIN.—At Mount Sinai Hospital, March 31, Morris Bernstein. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BOHL.—At 515 Bedford Av., Brooklyn, March 31, Catherine Bohl. Funeral to-day.

BRIDGES.—At 162 East 91st St., March 30, Selma L. Bridges.

CAREY.—At 218 Division St., Brooklyn, March 30, George F. Carey, aged 8.

CARLAN.—At 434 Knickerbocker Av., Brooklyn, March 30, Edith Carlan.

COFFEY.—At 353 West 115th St., March 31, John J. Coffey. Funeral to-day.

CONNOLLY.—At New Rochelle, March 31, John C. Connolly. Funeral to-day 10 A. M.

CONROY.—At 887 Lafayette Av., Brooklyn, March 31, Frank J. Conroy.

CROOK.—At Milton, N. Y., March 30, Isaac S. Crook. Funeral private.

CUMMUSKEY.—At 233 5th St., March 31, William F. X. Cummuskey. Funeral to-day.

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CUNNINGHAM.—At 153 West 22d St., March 30, Charles Cunningham, aged 32. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

DAUSCH.—At 439 Manhattan Av., March 31, Theodora F. Dausch. Funeral to-day.

DUNN.—At 323 2d St., Harrison, N. J., March 30, Bridget Dunn.

EIFLER.—At 355 Bleecker St., March 30, Louis F. Eifler. Funeral to-day.

FLANAGAN.—At 46 Marcy Av., Brooklyn, March 31, Edward J. Flanagan, aged 38. Funeral to-morrow

FRIEDMAN.—At 412 East 84th St., March 31, Morris Friedman.

GARVEY.—At 376 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, S. I., March 31, William P. Garvey.

GERBRACH.—At Highlands, N. J., March 31, Martin Gerbrach, aged 81.

GRIFFEN.—At 131 Bleecker St., March 29, John Griffen, aged 58.

GILLMAN.—At Bloomfield, N. J., March 31, Martha Gillman, aged 63.

GLEIM.—At 171 St. Paul's Av., Stapleton, S. I., March 31, Martin Gleim, aged 62.

GREEN.—At 128 East 98th St., March 29, Thomas G. C. Green, aged 23. Funeral to-day.

GROTH.—At 953 Lafayette Av., Brooklyn, March 31, Louisa Groth, aged 42.

HAHN.—At 925 De Kalb Av., Brooklyn, George Hahn, aged 51. Funeral to-day.

HALL.—At 817 West 93d St., March 31, Edward B. Hall, aged 51. Funeral private.

HANER.—At 1,491 De Kalb Av., Brooklyn, March 30, Christian Haner, aged 73.

HASLET.—At New Brunswick, N. J., March 29, John Haslet, aged 74.

HERMAN.—At 78 Bay 22d St., Bath Beach, March 31, John Herman.

HOPF.—At 543 West 44th St., March 30, William J. Hopf. Funeral to-day.

HURBY.—At 406 Broad St., Newark, N. J., March 30, Louise Hurby, aged 77.

JOHNSON.—At 322 9th Av., March 31, W. J. Johnson. Funeral to-day at 2 P. M.

KAHN.—At 333 East 90th St., Rosa Kahn. Funeral to-day.

KRAUSE.—At 1,442 2d Av., March 30, Adolph Krause, aged 56.

LANDERS.—At 68 Liberty St., West Orange, N. J., March 31, Robert Landers.

LEE.—At 840 3d Av., March 31, Ellen Lee. Funeral to-day at 10 A. M.

LILLANE.—At 240 9th Av., March 31, William Lillane. Funeral to-day at 2 P. M.

McCARTHY.—At Belleville, N. J., March 29, Annie McCarthy.

McFARLAND.—At Maspeth, L. I., March 31, James McFarland.

McGLINCEY.—At 448 Lexington Av., Brooklyn, March 30, Andrew McGlincey.

McGOWAN.—At 345 West 35th St., March 30, Roger McGowan. Funeral to-day at 10 A. M.

MAXWELL.—At 438 West 25th St., March 30, John Maxwell.

MIHLON.—At 245 Littleton Av., March 31, Sophie Mihlon. Funeral to-day.

MILLER.—At Ocean Side, L. I., March 31, Mary E. Miller, aged 70.

MURPHY.—At 519 54th St., Brooklyn, March 31, Michael Murphy. Funeral to-morrow.

PAINTER.—At 216 Clifton Place, Brooklyn, March 31, Rosina Painter, aged 65.

PIERSON.—At Morristown, N. J., March 29, Maltby Gilson Pierson, Jr.

RANDELL.—At 69 Pennsylvania Av., Brooklyn, March 30, Edward F. Randell.

RUCK.—At 203 East 17th St., Helene J. Ruck, aged 69.

SCHULTHESS.—At Orange, N. J., March 30, Rudolph Schulthess. Funeral to-day.

SIEGEL.—At 92 St. Nicholas Av., March 30, Hannah L. Siegel. Funeral to-day.

SMART.—At 3 Regent Place, Brooklyn, March 31, Edwina W. Smart. Interment to-morrow.

SONNENSCHEIN.—At Orange, N. J., March 31, Charlotte Sonnenschein. Funeral to-day.

STANALAND.—At 612 West 188th St., March 30, John M. Stanaland. Funeral to-day.

STAPLES.—At 225 West 121st St., Katharin Staples, aged 8 months.

STERN.—At 69 East 92d St., March 30, Joseph Stern. Funeral private.

SWEASY.—At 55 Avon Place, Newark, N. J., Charles J. Sweasy, aged 61.

THOMAS.—At 71 South 2d St., Brooklyn, April 1, Henry Thomas, aged 67.

WATSON.—At Roosevelt, L. I., March 31, Emily H. Watson. Funeral to-morrow.

WUNDT.—At 989 Grant Av., Bronx, March 31, Annie Wundt. Funeral to-day.

ZINCK.—At Worthington, N. Y., March 31, Hulda C. Zinck, aged 36. Funeral to-day.

ZIPPERIAN.—At 800 Schenck Av., Brooklyn, March 30, William Zipperian.

ZUNDEL.—At 158 1st Av., Charles Zundel. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

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THE ERIE'S FINANCIAL PLANS

Market Rallies on Indefinite Note Arrangement—Money Markets Quiet.

A weight was removed from the stock market yesterday by the announcement that the Directors of the Erie had finally arranged for a note issue sufficient in amount to care for the $5,500,000 of notes maturing on Wednesday next, and to provide $9,000,000 or so to meet other needs of the company. Up to the close of business no definite statement was made regarding any arrangements looking to a sale of the excess notes, nor could it be learned that any syndicate had been formed to underwrite the notes not taken by holders of the present issue. But indefinite as all this left the situation there was a general feeling of relief and a disposition to regard the outlook, so far as the Erie was concerned, as very much brighter than it had been twenty-four hours earlier. This feeling was reflected very naturally in the price of the old notes, sales of which were made at 93, against 82 on Tuesday, and in the preferred shares of the road on the Stock Exchange, where the first preferred rose over 4 points, and the second preferred some 6 points in all. Southern Railway preferred, which followed the Erie issues down on the previous day, regained the greater part of its loss; the Gould stocks followed the same course. In sympathy with these movements the market as a whole rose and closed strong with gains secured by practically every active stock of the day. This general advance was in no wise checked by the reduction of the Atchison dividend to 5 per cent. per annum, from the 6 per cent. rate paid during the past year, and a cut in the International Paper preferred dividend to 4 per cent. was likewise passed over. Atchison scored an advance of 1⅜ points by way of approval of the conservatism of the management of the road in taking measures which will save to it almost $100,000 a month. Conclusive evidence of the grasp which the railroads are now securing upon operating expenses was to be found in the Pennsylvania statement for the month of February, where a decrease of $1,637,000 in gross earnings became a loss of only $339,000 in net. Among the industrials the copper shares were heavy, perhaps because of another reduction in the price of the metal on the local Metal Exchange, while equipment company stocks were also inclined to lag. The report of the American Car and Foundry Company for the January quarter, embracing the months of November, December, and January, with its decrease of some 25 per cent. in business, as compared with the corresponding period in the preceding year, throws some light upon the position of these companies. The regular weekly review of the steel and iron trade authority repeated previous statements regarding the dullness in these lines. A crop expert's figures showing a condition of 90.2 for Winter wheat, as against 88.1 last year, and 85 as the ten-year average, were widely commented upon.

There was some hardening in discount rates in London following the quarter-year payments, and the money market there was also influenced to some extent by rumors of impending financing, including a large German loan. Here rates were unaffected by the April 1 disbursements. From the Sub-Treasury the banks again gained, and thus far in the week have received on balance from this source $3,227,000, as against a loss of $3,675,000 at this time a week ago.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

DIVIDENDS PAYABLE.

American Sugar Refining Co. on common and preferred.
Goldfield Florence Mining Co.
Milwaukee & Chicago Breweries.
National Sugar Refining Co. on preferred.
Union Traction Co. of Indiana on preferred.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Empire Title Guarantee Co. (adjourned.)
National Fireproofing Co.
Pacific Coast Power Co.
Provident Savings Life Assurance Society.

SPECIAL MEETING.

American Moving Picture Machine Co.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call on Stock Exchange collateral loaned at 1½@2 per cent., with the last loan at 2 per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 1¾ per cent.

Time money loaned at 3 per cent. for sixty days, 3¼@3½ per cent. for ninety days, 3¾@4 per cent. for four months, and 4¼ per cent. for five and six months.

Mercantile paper rates, 5½@6 per cent. for four to six months' indorsed bills receivable and choice single names.

Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $245,327,210; balances, $6,957,155; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $1,326,865.

The local banks have gained $3,227,000 since Friday, as compared with a loss of $3,675,000 in the same time last week.

Sterling exchange closed steady, with demand quoted at $4.8645@$4.8650, sixty days at $4.8420@$4.8425, and cables at $4.8670@$4.8675.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.19⅜ less 1-32 and 5.16¼ less 5-64; reichsmarks, 94½ and 95¼ less 1-64; guilders; 40⅛ plus 1-32.

Exchange on New York at Boston was quoted at 12½c discount; Chicago, 30c premium; St. Paul, 40c premium; St. Louis, 60c premium; New Orleans, commercial, 75c discount; bank, 50c discount; San Francisco, $1.25 premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was quoted in London at 25½d per ounce. Mexican dollars were 47c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Advances on Cold Weather Alarm—Closes Steady 6 to 10 Points Up.

Cotton was higher yesterday on reports of a better spot demand. The close was steady at a net advance of 6@10 points. Sales were estimated at 175,000 bales.

The market opened firm at an advance of 7@13 points in response to higher cables, larger English spot sales, and the talk of a better demand for low grades in the interior markets. It was due to cold weather later in the Spring that so much reseeding was necessary last year, and prospects of a cold snap are a market influence.

The range of contract prices in the local market yesterday was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues. Close.
April	...	...	9.61@9.63	9.55
May	9.77	9.68	9.71@9.72	9.65
June	...	...	9.73@9.75	9.66
July	9.81	9.73	9.77@ ...	9.67
August	9.72	9.68	9.71@9.73	9.61
October	9.61	9.54	9.58@9.59	9.52
December	9.61	9.55	9.59@9.60	9.53
January	...	...	9.60@9.62	9.55

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and unchanged at 10.50c for middling upland and 10.75c for middling Gulf. Delivered on contract, 3,500 bales.

Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: Mobile firm, unchanged at 10¼c; sales, 50 bales. Savannah steady, unchanged at 10⅛c; sales, 421 bales. Norfolk steady, 1-16c higher, at 10 7-16c; sales, 408 bales. Augusta firm, 1-16c higher, at 10⅝c; sales, 99 bales. Galveston steady, unchanged at 10½c; sales, 290 bales. New Orleans steady, unchanged at 10½c; sales, 3,200 bales. Houston steady, unchanged at 10 7-16c; sales, 38 bales. Memphis steady, unchanged at 10⅝c; sales, 3,000 bales.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Wednesday, April 1, 1908.

Total sales April 1, 1908 561,584
From Jan. 1, 1908 42,989,503
Corresponding date last year 74,772,248

Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	†Net Change.
7½	8	10	Allis-Chalmers	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	...
58⅞	59	37,495	*Amalgamated Cop.	59	59½	57⅞	59	+ ⅛
16¾	17	700	Amer. Agricult. Chem.	17¼	17¼	17	17	− ½
11½	12	300	*Amer. Beet Sugar	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	− ¼
49¾	50¼	100	American Can pf	50	50	50	50	...
31½	32	600	Am. Car & Foundry	31	31½	31	31½	+ ½
89	95	200	Am. Car & Found. pf	94½	94½	94½	94½	+2
15¼	15¾	100	Am. Hide & Leath. pf	15½	15½	15½	15½	− ½
19⅜	19⅝	800	Amer. Ice Securities	20⅛	20⅛	19½	19½	− ¼
44	44¼	2,200	*Amer. Locomotive	43½	44¼	43½	44	+ ¾
92½	93½	200	*Am. Locomotive pf	93⅜	93⅜	93	93	...
67	67⅛	78,700	*Amer. Smelt. & Ref.	68	68⅜	66	67⅛	...
94½	95½	550	*Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf	94¾	94¾	94½	94⅝	− ⅛
30	31½	100	*Am. Steel Fo. pf. t.r.	30	30	30	30	− ½
123¾	124	200	*Amer. Sugar Ref.	124	124	124	124	− ½
18	18½	500	*American Woolen	19½	19¼	18¼	18¼	−2
37⅞	38¼	3,800	*Anaconda Cop. Min.	37¾	38¾	37⅛	37⅞	+ ⅜
74	74¼	10,600	Atch., Top. & S. F.	73¼	74¾	73⅛	74	+1⅜
82⅜	82⅝	1,700	Baltimore & Ohio	82½	82½	82	82⅜	+ ⅜
3⅞	4	1,300	*Batopilas Mining	3¾	4⅛	3¾	4⅛	+ ¼
45¼	45½	6,620	Brook. Rapid Transit	44¾	46¼	44¾	45⅝	+ ½
8	9	100	Brunswick City	8	8	8	8	+ ⅛
151⅞	152	3,000	Canadian Pacific	151½	152¼	151¼	151⅞	+ ⅞
148	148¾	200	*Can. Pac. cfs. 1st pd	148	148	147¾	147¾	+ ¾
20⅞	21	4,440	Central Leather Co.	20	21⅛	20	20⅞	+1⅜
87½	87¾	795	Cent. Leather Co. pf.	87⅜	87¾	87⅜	87⅜	+ ⅜
31	31⅜	500	Chesapeake & Ohio	30⅞	31½	30⅞	31½	+ ⅝
5	5⅛	100	Chicago Great West.	5	5	5	5	...
117⅞	117¾	10,000	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	116½	117⅝	116¼	117⅝	+1½
111	111½	700	*C., M. & St. P. ctfs., 45 per cent. paid	111½	111½	111	111½	+1¼
145	146	500	Chicago & Northw.	146	146	145⅛	145¾	+ ¼
122	123	200	Chi., St. P., M. & Om.	121	122	121	122	− ½
..	..	100	Chicago Union Trac.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	− ⅛
1¼	1½	1,700	*Chi. Union Tr. t. r.	2	2	1¼	1½	...
24¾	25	15,050	Colorado Fuel & Iron	24½	25⅜	23⅞	24¾	+1⅛
25	25⅛	800	Colorado Southern	25	25¼	25	25	...
55	56	825	Col. South. 1st pf.	55	55	54¾	55	+ ½
45	45½	200	Col. South. 2d pf.	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾	+ ⅛
18¾	20	200	Col. & H. C. & Iron	19½	19½	19½	19½	+ ½
113½	114	650	Consolidated Gas	113	113½	112½	113½	+1¼
13	13⅛	400	Corn Products Ref.	13¼	13¼	13⅛	13⅛	...
152	154	400	Delaware & Hudson	152¾	153	152¾	153	+ ½
52¼	54	430	Denver & Rio Gr. pf.	53½	53½	52⅛	52⅛	−1⅛
31½	32	500	*Distillers Securities	31	31½	31	31⅜	+ ⅜
10¼	10⅜	685	*Dul., S. S. & At.	9¾	10¼	9¾	10¼	+ ⅝
18½	19¼	700	*Dul., S. S. & At. pf.	18½	19	18½	19	+1
14¾	14⅞	4,500	Erie	14¾	15⅛	14⅝	14¾	+1⅛
31	32	1,500	Erie 1st pf	30½	33	30½	31½	+2½
21½	22¼	1,700	Erie 2d pf	21	24	21	22	+4⅝
122¾	123½	3,190	Great Northern pf	122	123	122	122¾	+ ½
56¼	56½	1,500	*G. N. cts., for ore pr.	56⅛	56⅜	56	56⅜	+ ⅜
73½	74	200	Homestake Mining	73½	73½	73½	73½	...
125	125½	100	Illinois Central	125⅛	125⅛	125⅛	125⅛	− ⅜
7¼	7½	400	Interborough-Met.	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
20	20½	300	Interborough-Met. pf.	20½	20¾	20½	20¾	+ ¾
19	21	200	Internat'l Mer. Mar. pf.	19	19	19	19	−2
8⅜	8½	1,000	International Paper	8½	8¾	8	8¾	...
54½	55	200	Internat. Paper pf.	53⅛	54¾	53⅛	54¾	+1¾
22	22½	200	Internat. Steam Pump.	22⅛	22⅛	22	22	− ½
97¾	99	200	Louisville & Nash.	97⅞	97⅞	97½	97½	+1
57	60	100	Mackay Cos.	57	57	57	57	...
62¼	64	100	Mackay Cos. pf.	62	62	62	62	+ ¼
120	127	10	Manhattan Elevated	126	126	126	126	...
24½	25	300	Minn. & St. Louis	24¾	24¾	24½	24½	...
109¼	110	450	Minn., St. P. & S. S. M.	108½	109½	108½	109½	+1
23¼	24⅜	300	Mo., Kansas & Texas	23⅛	23½	23⅛	23½	+ ½
40½	41½	1,300	Missouri Pacific	40¾	40¾	40	40¼	+ ⅛
55½	56	1,800	*National Lead Co.	56½	56½	55	55½	− ⅜
93½	95½	25	*Nat. Lead Co. pf.	94	94	94	94	...
6⅞	7	300	*Newhouse M. & S.	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	− ⅛
67	68	300	*N. Y. Air Brake	66	67	66	67	+1
97	97¾	3,700	N. Y. Central	97⅛	97¼	96¾	97	...
32	34	100	N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	32¼	32¼	32¼	32¼	+ ¾
102	105	25	N. Y. & N. J. Tel.	105	105	105	105	...
63½	64½	506	Norfolk & Western	63¾	63¾	63½	63½	+ ¼
127	127⅛	14,320	Northern Pacific	126¾	127½	126½	127⅛	+1
110½	110⅝	1,050	*Nor. P. rcts, 62½% pd.	109⅞	110½	109⅞	110½	+1½
29½	30	200	Pacific Mail	29	29	29	29	− ¼
115⅞	116	10,917	Pennsylvania R. R.	116¼	116½	115¾	116	+ ⅜
89	89½	900	People's Gas, Chicago	88¾	89½	88½	89½	+ ½
23	24	660	Pressed Steel Car	23⅛	23¼	23	23	− ½
76	80	10	Pressed Steel Car pf.	78½	78½	78½	78½	...
151	154	100	Pullman Company	152	152	152	152	−1½
..	84½	50	R.R.Sec.,Ill.C.stk.cfts.	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼	...
33¾	34	400	*Railway Steel Spring	34	34	34	34	−1
103⅝	103¾	121,000	Reading	104	104¼	103¼	103¾	+ ¾
80	81	400	Reading 2d pf.	80½	80½	80	80	− ¼
18½	18¾	3,025	*Repub. Iron & Steel	18¾	19	18⅛	18½	+ ½
70½	71	3,400	*Republic I. & S. pf.	71½	71¾	70¼	70½	−3
14⅜	14½	500	Rock Island Co.	14	14⅜	14	14⅜	+ ⅜
27	27¼	800	Rock Island Co. pf.	27	27¼	27	27	+ ¼
47	47½	1,000	Sloss-Shef. S. & I. Co.	47	48	47	47¼	+ ¾
73⅜	73⅝	7,250	Southern Pacific ex d.	73½	73⅞	73⅜	73⅝	+ ¼
111¼	112	262	Southern Pacific pf.	111¼	111½	111¼	111½	+ ⅛
13⅜	13½	3,400	Southern Ry. ext.	13¼	13¾	13¼	13⅜	+ ¾
37	38	500	South. Ry. pf., ext.	39	39	38	38	+2⅛
41¾	41⅞	5,100	*Tennessee Copper	41⅝	41⅞	41⅝	41⅞	+ ⅜
18½	20½	250	Third Avenue	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	+ ¾
41¾	42	500	Toledo, St. L. & W. pf.	41½	42	41½	41¾	+ ¾
83	84	300	Twin City Rap. Tran.	84	84	84	84	...
53	55	100	*Union Bag & P. Co. pf.	55	55	55	55	...
125	125¼	85,000	Union Pacific	125¼	125¾	124½	125⅛	+1¼
78½	80½	225	Union Pacific pf.	80	80	80	80	...
22⅛	26	65	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	25	25	25	25	...
21½	23	100	U. S. Rubber	21½	21½	21½	21½	+ ½
34⅛	34¼	73,100	U. S. Steel	33¾	34⅛	33⅝	34¼	+ ⅞
98⅝	98¾	4,950	U. S. Steel pf	98½	98¾	98¼	98⅝	+ ⅝
31½	32	3,850	*Utah Copper	32⅜	32⅞	30¾	31⅜	− ¾
90½	91¾	200	Va.-Caro. Chem. pf.	91	91	91	91	−1
10	10½	540	Wabash	10	10¼	10	10⅛	+ ⅜
17½	18½	200	Wabash pf	17½	17½	17¼	17¼	+ ¼
6½	7½	110	Western Maryland	7	7	7	7	− ¾
54	55	600	Western Union Tel.	53⅝	54	53⅝	54	+ ½
53	54	1,900	Westinghouse E. & M.	50½	55	50½	53½	+3

*Unlisted. †From last previous sale, based on 100-share lots.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA—

	1908.	1907.	1906.
Feb. gross	$894,542	$974,563	$943,828
July 1-Feb. 29	9,059,430	9,547,091	8,935,871

CHESAPEAKE & OHIO for February—

Gross earnings	1,575,574	1,961,159	1,967,689
Expenses	1,129,159	1,348,970	1,187,207
Net earnings	446,415	582,169	780,482
Gross, 8 mos.	18,436,454	16,514,827	16,057,661
Expenses	12,233,059	10,590,704	9,668,143
Net, 8 months	6,203,395	5,924,123	6,389,518

DENVER & RIO GRANDE for February—

Gross earnings	1,223,008	1,485,440	1,405,982
Expenses	846,215	1,068,836	910,016
Net earnings	376,793	416,604	495,966
Other income	25,167	225	2,136
Total income	401,960	416,829	498,102
Chgs., taxes, &c.	298,323	298,098	337,717
Balance	103,637	118,731	160,385
Renewals	10,000	10,000	10,000
Surplus	93,637	108,731	150,385
Gross, 8 mos.	14,580,152	13,794,153	13,162,295
Expenses	9,885,020	9,158,006	7,912,316
Net, 8 months	4,695,132	4,636,147	5,249,979
Other income	365,565	301,637	160,588
Total income	5,060,697	4,937,784	5,410,567
Chgs. taxes, &c.	2,530,443	2,375,376	2,775,717
Balance	2,530,254	2,562,408	2,637,850
Renewal fund	80,000	80,000	80,000
Balance	2,450,254	2,482,408	2,554,850
Dividends	1,144,035	1,142,817	1,142,817
Surplus, 8 mos.	1,306,219	1,339,591	1,412,033

HOCKING VALLEY for February—

Gross	348,912	498,594	533,510
Exp. and taxes	289,864	396,978	338,883
Net	59,048	101,616	194,627
Other income	45,417	*992	*1,498
Total income	104,465	100,624	193,129
Charges	84,380	66,455	62,006
Surplus	20,085	34,169	131,123
8 mos. gross	4,396,460	4,524,776	4,493,086
Exp. and taxes	3,181,630	3,120,948	2,803,513
8 mos. net	1,214,830	1,403,828	1,689,573
Other income	711,240	239,170	199,398
Total income	1,926,070	1,642,998	1,888,971
Charges	627,213	507,202	525,931
8 mos. surplus	1,298,857	1,135,796	1,363,040

*Loss.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL for February—

Gross	4,096,613	4,428,661	4,366,911
Exp. and taxes	3,287,542	3,227,199	2,977,530
Net	809,071	1,201,462	1,389,381
8 mos. gross	37,740,200	37,047,718	34,202,571
Exp. and taxes	28,817,063	26,427,757	23,674,895
8 mos. net	8,923,137	10,619,961	10,527,676

MEXICAN CENTRAL for January and February—

January gross	2,991,259	2,732,903	2,457,188
Expenses	2,229,721	1,913,240	1,721,525
January net	761,538	819,663	735,663
February gross	2,970,693	2,548,389	2,229,926
Expenses	2,052,964	1,742,148	1,594,131
February net	917,729	806,241	635,795
8 mos. gross	24,378,404	19,628,866	18,185,422
Expenses	17,513,225	14,041,826	12,856,633
8 mos. net	6,865,179	5,587,040	5,328,789

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS for February—

Gross	1,668,914	1,975,821	1,693,094
Expenses	1,300,513	1,445,094	1,312,449
Net	368,401	530,727	380,645
Other income	38,099	14,762	......
Total income	406,500	545,489	380,645
Int., rent, tax, addi. and bet.	514,260	527,844	365,628
Deficit	107,760	*17,645	*15,017
8 mos. gross	16,761,762	17,605,686	13,029,507
Expenses	11,143,763	10,783,997	9,157,773
8 mos. net	5,617,999	6,821,689	3,871,734
Other income	285,811	118,094	......
Total income	5,903,810	6,939,783	3,871,734
Int., rent, tax, addi. and bet.	4,338,542	3,907,901	2,552,187
8 mos. surplus	1,565,268	3,031,882	1,319,547

*Surplus.

NORFOLK & WESTERN for February—

Gross	1,818,320	2,438,707	2,233,548
Expenses	1,193,018	1,570,243	1,320,500
Net	625,302	868,464	913,048
Gross, 8 mos.	26,749,362	20,083,721	18,496,054
Expenses	13,586,464	12,538,861	11,007,770
Net, 8 mos.	7,162,898	7,544,860	7,488,284

PENNSYLVANIA SYSTEM for February—

Lines east of Pittsburg and Erie (directly operated):

Gross	9,814,929	11,452,829	10,824,029
Expenses	8,165,253	9,463,753	8,528,153
Net	1,649,676	1,989,076	2,295,876
Gross, 2 mos.	20,378,286	24,036,580	22,826,586
Expenses	16,452,961	19,105,061	17,392,561
Net, 2 mos.	3,925,325	4,931,525	5,434,025

Lines west of Pittsburg and Erie (directly operated):

	Decrease. February.	Decrease. Two Mos.
Gross	1,296,400	2,949,300
Expenses	1,242,700	2,313,800
Net	53,700	635,500

Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington:

	1908.	1907.	1906.
Gross	1,107,216	1,166,816	1,097,316
Expenses	1,036,803	1,099,303	929,303
Net	70,413	67,513	168,010
Gross, 2 mos.	2,313,956	2,412,756	2,284,556
Expenses	2,075,760	2,177,760	1,904,760
Net, 2 mos.	238,196	234,996	379,796

Northern Central:

Gross	785,479	903,579	835,579
Expenses	752,295	848,295	758,095
Net	33,184	55,284	77,484
Gross, 2 mos.	1,559,515	1,795,515	1,683,115
Expenses	1,405,803	1,607,403	1,415,503
Net, 2 mos.	153,712	188,112	267,612

West Jersey & Seashore:

Gross	277,344	272,244	265,444
Expenses	351,160	373,260	238,360
Deficit	73,816	101,016	*27,684
Gross, 2 mos.	560,654	552,154	529,754
Expenses	715,966	752,966	491,366
Deficit, 2 mos.	155,312	200,812	*38,388

*Surplus.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM for February—

Rock Island:

	1908.	1907.	1906.
Gross earnings	4,266,010	4,628,137	3,979,204
Exp. and taxes	3,594,743	3,423,636	2,968,091
Net earnings	671,267	1,204,501	1,011,113
Gross, 8 months	41,045,892	39,373,458	35,167,657
Exp. and taxes	30,827,758	26,809,318	24,478,698
Net, 8 months	10,218,134	12,564,140	10,688,959

St. Louis & San Francisco, (including Chicago & Eastern Illinois):

Gross earnings	3,487,061	4,060,911	3,396,492
Exp. and taxes	2,462,686	2,809,145	2,311,138
Net earnings	1,024,375	1,251,766	1,085,354
Gross, 8 months	33,389,956	32,531,972	28,580,712
Exp. and taxes	24,447,605	21,670,748	18,948,751
Net, 8 months	8,942,351	10,861,224	9,631,961

Evansville & Terre Haute, (including Evansville & Indiana Railroad):

Gross earnings	157,474	169,848	159,588
Exp. and taxes	107,915	121,431	98,286
Net earnings	49,559	48,417	61,302
Gross, 8 months	1,540,470	1,550,923	1,468,724
Exp. and taxes	1,043,365	960,402	800,935
Net, 8 months	497,105	590,521	667,789

Total all lines:

Gross earnings	7,910,546	8,858,897	7,535,284
Exp. and taxes	6,165,345	6,354,213	5,377,516
Net earnings	1,745,201	2,504,684	2,157,768
Gross, 8 months	75,976,319	73,456,354	65,217,094
Exp. and taxes	56,318,729	49,440,469	44,228,384
Net, 8 months	19,657,590	24,015,885	20,988,710

ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN for February—

Gross earnings	685,439	842,853	708,738
Exp. and taxes	618,916	638,410	570,994
Net earnings	66,523	204,443	137,744
Other income	63,012	37,076	8,435
Total income	129,535	241,519	146,179
Chgs. and rents	171,715	146,571	144,010
Deficit	42,180	*94,948	*2,169
8 mos. gross	6,833,593	6,912,135	6,019,125
Exp. and taxes	5,248,949	4,965,318	4,397,791
8 mos. net	1,584,644	1,946,817	1,621,334
Other income	470,547	257,591	84,896
Total income	2,055,191	2,204,408	1,706,230
Chgs. and rents	1,328,384	1,195,623	1,157,502
8 mos. surplus	726,807	1,008,785	548,728

*Surplus.

YAZOO & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY for February—

Gross earnings	815,452	824,593	791,247
Exp. and taxes	720,031	668,496	643,632
Net earnings	95,421	156,097	147,615
8 mos. gross	6,825,553	6,426,569	5,583,266
Exp. and taxes	5,889,087	5,392,678	4,950,106
8 mos. net	936,466	1,033,891	633,160

Miscellaneous Earnings.

EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY of New Jersey for the year ended Dec. 31—

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Net prof	$6,265,423	$4,915,700	$4,013,913
Dividends	5,261,492	3,788,202	2,708,181
Balance	1,003,931	1,127,498	1,305,732
Outs. stock subsid. Cos. acquired	......	......	5,233
Surplus	1,003,931	1,127,498	1,300,499
Prev. surplus	4,584,234	3,456,735	2,156,236
P. & L. surplus	5,588,165	4,584,233	3,456,735

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

WHEAT.—Prices opened and closed higher yesterday, with narrow trade. Growth was said to have begun in most Northern districts, and from all parts of the belt came reports of ample moisture and rapid plant development. Liverpool closed ⅛d higher, Budapest was ⅛c to 1⅜c above Tuesday night, Berlin was unchanged, and Paris partly 10 to 15 points net lower. Northwest receipts were 244 cars, compared with 390 cars last year. Seaboard clearances of wheat and flour aggregated 196,000 bushels. No export business was reported. Cash wheat in New York closed as follows: No. 2 red, $1, elevator, and $1, free on board, afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.12¼, and No. 2 hard Winter, $1.10¼, free on board, afloat.

CORN.—About half a cent was the range yesterday, the market responding to a late upturn in wheat. Cables were ¼d net lower and seaboard clearances very light. No. 2 corn in New York was quoted 74¾c, elevator, and 70c, free on board, afloat; No. 2 white, 70½c, and No. 2 yellow, nominal, free on board, afloat.

FUTURES.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues. Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1.01⅝	$1.00¾	$1.01½	$1.01
July	96¼	95⅝	96	95¾
Corn—				
May	..	..	75⅝	75¼
July	..	..	73⅛	73

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues. Close.
Wheat—				
May	93	91¾	92¾	92¼
July	88⅝	87½	88⅛	87⅞
September	86⅛	85¾	86¼	85⅝
Corn—				
May	66¼	65⅝	66¼	66⅛
July	64¼	63¾	64⅛	64
September	63¼	62⅞	63⅛	63⅛
Oats—				
May	53½	53	53½	53¼
July	47⅛	46¼	47⅛	46½
Lard—				
May	$8.50	$8.37	$8.47	$8.50
July	8.77	8.60	8.72	8.70
Ribs—				
May	7.35	7.17	7.32	7.30
July	7.67	7.47	7.65	7.65
Pork—				
May	13.77	13.40	13.72	13.67
July	14.17	13.77	14.12	14.05

COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

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COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., April 1.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.
Elkton	51½	52
El Paso	32½	33
Rawlings	10	11
Findlay	29	30½
Isabella	34½	34⅝
Portland	104	107
Vindicator	81	86
Work	11	12¾

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Curb Sentiment Stronger Because of Lack of Offerings on Decline.

COPPERS SHOW SUPPORT

Active Issues Make Small Recoveries from the Low Levels of Tuesday—Erie Notes Active.

Some recovery was made on the Curb yesterday from the low levels reached in Tuesday's market. Brokers were encouraged by the small volume of selling on the decline. In yesterday's market the coppers made general recoveries of fractional amounts, though the trading was at no time really brisk. Yukon gold fell off to 8,500 shares, the price ranging between 5⅛ and 5⅜, the close being at the former figure. Some interest in the bond market was stimulated by the selling of Erie notes due on April 8. Twenty thousand dollars sold from 93 down to 91.

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The principal transactions reported yesterday in the outside market, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
	INDUSTRIALS.				
1	Am. Tobacco	300	300	300	300
4,050	Bay State Gas	15-16	1	*⅞	1
100	†Consol. St'ship	12½	12½	12½	12½
66	Standard Oil	534	535	531½	535
	MINING STOCKS.				
900	Alaska M. S.	¾	⅞	¾	¾
2,500	†Atlanta G'f'd	25	27	25	27
5	Balaklala	2½	2½	2½	2½
1,000	Boston Copper	12	12⅜	12	12¼
545	Butte Coalit'n	20¾	21	*20⅞	21
800	Butte & N. Y.	2	2⅜	2	2¼
12,200	†Cobalt Central	26½	27	26	26
300	†Comb. Fract.	72	72	72	72
30,000	Con. Ariz. S.	7-16	7-16	⅜	⅜
3,500	Cumb.-E. Min.	8⅜	8⅝	8⅜	8½
500	Davis-D. Est.	3⅞	3⅞	3¾	3¾
100	Dolores, Ltd.	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
100	Dom. Copper	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
100	Douglas Cop.	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
100	First Nat. Cop.	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
2,100	Florence	4¼	4 7-16	4¼	4¼
300	†Fur. Cr. Cop.	19	19	19	19
500	Gen. Mines	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	2¼
500	Giroux Min.	4	4	4	4
50	Gold Hill	¾	¾	¾	¾
3,900	Goldfield Con.	5⅛	5⅜	5⅛	5⅛
7,100	†G'df'd Daisy	1.33	1.38	1.30	1.36
1,500	Greene-Canan.	8⅞	9	8¾	9
100	Greene G.-Sil.	½	½	½	½
25	Gr. G.-S. pf.	2	2	2	2
155	Guggenh. Exp.	158	158	150	150
100	†Kendall	21	21	21	21
325	King Edward	11-16	¾	11-16	¾
100	Mex. Ex. & M.	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
500	Micmac Mines	4⅝	4⅝	4¼	4¼
2,500	Mines Co. of A.	1½	1½	1½	1½
100	Mitchell Min.	¾	¾	¾	¾
100	McKinley-Dar.	65	65	65	65
100	Mont.-Shoshone	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
3,500	Nev. Con. Cop.	11⅝	11¾	11⅝	11½
1,800	Nev.-U. M. & S.	4	4¼	4	4¼
1,000	Nip. Mines Co.	6⅝	6¾	6½	6½
2,100	No. Butte Ext.	2	2¼	2	2¼
2,300	Penn Wyoming	31	34	31	32
1,000	Silver Queen	1	1	1	1
1,155	Stewart	13-16	⅞	¾	⅞
1,700	Tonopah Bel.	1 1-16	1⅛	1 1-16	1 1-16
2,360	Ton. M. of N.	7	7⅞	7	7⅞
2,100	Tramps Con.	22	22	21	21
3,900	Tri-Bullion	1 15-16	2	1 15-16	2
1,800	United Copper	5⅜	5⅝	5¼	5⅜
15,000	†United Rico.	34	34	32	33
8,500	Yukon Gold M.	5¼	5⅜	5⅛	5⅛
	BONDS.				
$16,000	Ad. Ex. col. 4s	90	90	90	90
20,000	Erie notes due April 8	93	93	91	91
2,000	Tol., St. L. & W. col. tr. 4s, when issued	72	72	72	72

*Odd lots. †Sells cents per share.

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The bid and asked prices at the close of the market yesterday compare as follows with those of Tuesday:

	April 1. Bid.	April 1. Asked.	March 31. Bid.	March 31. Asked.
Am. Chicle	183	190	183	190
Am. Tobacco	295	300	300	305
Am. Writing Paper	1¾	2½	1¾	2½
Am. Writing Paper pf.	18	21	18	21
Bay State Gas	1	1 1-16	⅞	15-16
Boston Copper	12½	12¾	..	..
British Columbia Cop.	4½	4⅞	4½	4¾
Butte Coalition	20⅞	21⅛	21	21⅛
Butte-New York	2	2⅛	2⅛	2⅜
Cobalt Central	25½	26	26	26½
Central Foundry	1½	2	1½	2
Central Foundry pf.	7	8	7	8
Chicago Subway	16¼	17¼	16¼	18¼
Cumberland-Ely Min.	8½	8⅝	8¼	8⅜
Davis-Daly	3½	3⅞	3½	3⅞
Dominion Copper	2	2⅛	2	2¼
Goldfield Con.	5	5⅛	5	5 5-16
Goldfield Daisy	135	137	127	130
Gold Hill	⅝	¾	⅝	¾
Greene-Cananea	8⅞	9	8⅞	8¾
Greene Gold-Silver	⅜	½	7-16	9-16
Greene Gold-Silver pf.	1⅞	2	1⅞	2
Guggenheim Ex	150	175	150	175
Havana Tobacco	7	9	7	9
Havana Tobacco pf.	16	19	16	19
International Salt	10	11	10	11
Manhattan Transit	2¾	3	2¾	3
Micmac Mines	4¼	4¼	4⅛	4¼
Mines Co. of Am.	1⅜	1½	1⅜	1½
Nevada Copper	11½	11⅝	11⅝	11½
Nevada-Utah M. & S.	4	4⅛	3⅞	4
Otis Elevator	28	33	28	33
Otis Elevator pf.	78	82	78	82
Standard Milling pf.	28	30	28	30
Standard Oil	532	539	527	535
Tri-Bullion	1⅞	2	1 15-16	2
United Copper	5⅛	5⅝	5¼	5½
United Copper pf.	20	26	20	26
Yukon Gold Mines	5⅛	5¼	..	..

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

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BOSTON, April 1.—Trading in the local copper shares to-day was without significance. Boston Consolidated was not under such pressure as has been noted of late and the stock rallied fractionally. North Butte was also in demand at above 53, while the balance of the list shows only fractional changes.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
	BONDS.			
$1,000	Am. Bell Tel. 4s	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
17,000	Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s	79½	79¼	79¼
13,000	Am. Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	81½	80⅞	81¼
1,000	Gen. Elec. conv. 5s	113	113	113
2,000	Western Tel. & Tel. 5s	84	84	84
	RAILROADS.			
32	Atchison	74	73	73½
46	*Boston & Albany	200	199	199
17	*Boston & Maine	135½	135½	135½
22	N. Y., N. H. & H.	133½	133	133
21	*Old Colony	188	188	188
135	*Union Pacific	125¼	124½	125¼
8	*West End	87½	86½	87½
	TELEPHONES.			
181	*American	109	108½	109
5	†New England	108	108	108
685	New England rights	72c	70c	70c
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
185	American Pneu.	5½	5¼	5½
5	American Pneu. pf.	13½	13¼	13¼
130	*American Sugar	124½	123¾	123¾
2	*American Sugar pf.	120	120	120
5	American Woolen	19¼	19¼	19¼
70	*American Woolen pf.	84½	84	84
34	Edison	205	205	205
21	*General Electric	126	125	126
136	*Mass. Gas	51	50	51
64	Mass. Gas pf.	83¾	83	83¾
10	*Mergenthaler	195	195	195
13	Pullman	154	153	153
65	Reece	9¼	9¼	9¼
5	*Seattle Elec. pf.	90¼	90¼	90¼
14	*Swift	97¼	96½	97¼
5	Torrington, Class A	21½	21½	21½
5	Torrington pf.	25	25	25
239	*United Fruit	124¼	123½	123⅝
198	*United Shoe	47	46½	47
41	*United Shoe pf.	27¼	27	27¼
2,418	U. S. Steel	34¼	33⅝	33⅞
155	U. S. Steel pf.	99	98½	98¼
	MINING.			
8,641	Amalgamated	59⅛	58	59⅛
25	Allouez	25	25	25
325	American Zinc	23¼	23	23
315	Arcadian	3¾	3⅝	3¾
30	Arizona Commercial	18¼	18¼	18¼
50	Atlantic	9¼	9¼	9¼
625	Bingham	1½	1⅜	1½
1,756	Boston Con.	12½	12	12½
1,427	Butte Coalition	21	20⅞	21
225	Calumet & Arizona	100	99	99
8	Calumet & Hecla	630	620	630
230	Centennial	22	22	22
400	Con. Mercur	35c	35c	35c
733	*Copper Range	65	64⅝	65
70	Daly-West	9	9	9
5	Elm River	1	1	1
150	Franklin	7¾	7¾	7¾
480	Greene Cananea	9	8⅞	9
5	Isle Royale	18	18	18
1,310	Mass.	5⅜	5⅛	5¼
315	Mexico	6¼	6⅛	6¼
135	*Mohawk	49½	49	49
705	Nevada	11⅞	11½	11⅝
1,961	North Butte	54	52¾	53½
50	Old Dominion	36½	36½	36½
3	Parrot	19	19	19
145	Quincy	82	80	82
40	Rhode Island	3	3	3
651	Shannon	12	11⅞	11⅞
20	Superior Copper	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
497	Trinity	14½	14	14
430	U. S. Oil	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
61	*U. S. Smelting	36	35½	35½
257	*U. S. Smelting pf.	40	39⅝	40
5	United Copper	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
996	*Utah Con.	38⅜	38⅛	38⅛
332	Victoria	3½	3	3½

*Ex dividend. †Ex rights.

Franklin Trust Co. Cuts Dividend.

The dividend of 2 per cent. for the quarter declared by the Directors of the Franklin Trust Company yesterday compares with 3½ per cent. paid in the last quarter and places the stock on an 8 per cent. basis. Last year it paid 14 per cent. The company has made tentative offers to the Farmers' Loan & Trust Company looking to a business alliance with the larger concern. The dividend is payable April 1 to stockholders of record March 31.

TRANSACTIONS IN BONDS.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Wednesday, April 1, 1908.

Imp Jap Govt 4½s sterling loan	1,000	86½
	500	86¼
	1,000	86⅝
	1,000	86½
2d series	1,000	86¼
4s sterlg loan	2,000	77⅝
Rep of Cuba 5s	11,000	101
U S Mexico 4s	10,000	93½
New Yk City 4½s 1957	7,000	107⅝
New Yk City 4½s 1917 temporary rects	10,000	102⅝
New Yk City 4½s 1957 temporary rects	3,000	107¼
	20,000	107½
	4,000	107¼
	500	107⅜
	16,000	107¼
Adams Exp 4s		87½
Am Cot Oil 4½s	11,000	90½
	4,000	91
Am Hide & L 6s	5,000	80½
Am Tobacco 4s	10,000 x	103
	5,000	103⅛
Am Tobacco 4s	2,000	67⅞
	10,000	67½
	4,000	67¾
	1,000	67¼
Atch, Top & S Fe gen 4s	27,000 x	97
Adjustment 4s	1,000	86
Baltimore & Ohio gold 4s	11,000 x	97¾
	2,000	97½
prior lien 3½s	4,000	90⅝
So Wn div 3½s	2,000	86⅝
Bklyn City 1st	1,000	99⅞
Bklyn Rap Trans refg conv 4s	6,000	70⅝
	20,000	70¼
Buffalo Gas 5s	5,000 x	55
Canada So 1st 5s J P M & Co tr rects	10,000	106
Cent of Georgia 3d inc 5s	4,000	35
Cent Leather 5s	5,000 x	91⅝
	1,000	91¾
	16,000	91½
	500	91¾
Cent Pac gtd 4s	10,000	95
Chesapeake & Ohio gen 4½s	2,000	98⅝
C, B & Q joint 4s	11,000	94¾
	1,000	94⅝
	17,000	94½
	10,000	94¾
	1,000	94½
Registered	1,000	94¼
C, B & Q deb 5s	5,000	103½
Ill div 3½s	1,000	88
Ill div 4s	10,000	99⅝
Chic & N Westn deb 5s 1909	1,000	102
Chic, R I & P Ry refunding 4s	25,000 x	85
	2,000	85⅛
C, R I & P R R 4s	4,000	61⅞
	8,000	61⅝
Col Industrial 5s	20,000	51⅝
	20,000	51⅛
	5,000	51½
	5,000	51¼
	1,000	51⅞
Col Mid 1st 4s	2,000	59
	5,000	59½
Col & So 1st 4s	1,000	87
Col & Southern ref & ext 4½s	8,000	76¾
	3,000	77
	10,000	76⅞
	27,000	77
Cons Gas Co conv deb 6s	30,000	113
	2,000	113¼
Corn Prod Ref s f 5s	1,000	80
Del & Hud cnv 4s	1,000	96¾
	1,000	96½
Dis Sec Cor 5s	17,000 x	71
	6,000	70
	1,000	70½
	5,000	70
Erie 1st con 7s	1,000	117¼
Erie 1st con 4s	20,000	84
Erie 1st gen 4s	9,000	65
Erie Pennsylvania col tr 4s	2,000	70
Erie cnv 4s ser A	15,000 x	54
Series B	25,000 x	50
	1,000	49½
	5,000	49
	3,000	48½
Gen Electric conv deb 5s	1,000	113¼
Hoc Vy 1st 4½s	13,000	102¼
Inter-Met 4½s	48,000 x	57¼
	13,000	57⅜
	8,000	57½
	6,000	57⅜
	4,000	57⅞
	5,000	58
	2,000	57⅞
	5,000	57⅞
	10,000	58
	27,000	57⅞
Int Met Marine col trust 4½s	1,000 x	68
Iowa Cent ref 4s	1,000	74¼
L S & Mich So 4s 1931	2,000	92
Louisv & Nashv unified 4s	2,000	96
Louisv & Nashv col trust 4s	10,000 x	91
Louis & Nash At Knox & Cin 4s	3,000	88¼
Mex Cent con 4s	7,000	83¾
	2,000	82¾
	10,000	82½
Mex Cent 1st inc	3,000	20¼
Mex Cent 2d inc	2,000	17½
	10,000	17⅝
	8,000	18
Mo, K & T 1st 4s	2,000	95¼
Nash, Chat & St L 1st con 5s	1,000 x	105½
N Y Cent & Hud L S col 3½s	10,000	77¼
	7,000	77⅛
	3,000	77⅜
	1,000	78
N Y C & St L 4s	29,000 x	97⅝
N Y, N H & H R R conv 3½s	5,000	87
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s sub ctfs 1st instl paid	16,000	120½
	2,000	121
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s sub ctfs full paid	1,000	123
Nor & W cnv 4s	1,000	81⅝
Northn Pac 4s	1,000 x	99¼
	2,500	99
	5,000	99¼
	2,000	99¼
	3,000 x	99
Nor Pac gen 3s	1,000	70
	1,000	70⅛
Oreg Short Line gtd refg 4s	5,000	89¼
	4,000s5f	89¼
	5,000	89
Penn conv 3½s	4,000	95
	1,000	94⅞
1915	26,000	90⅞
	25,000	90⅝
	4,000	90⅞
	500	91½
	6,000	91
P G & C Chicago refdg 5s	2,000	98
Peo & E inc 4s	3,000 x	43
Reading gen 4s registered	1,000	94½
St L, Ir Mt & So gen 5s stmpd	1,000	100
St L, Ir Mt & So Riv & Glf 4s	1,000	80½
	1,000	81
St L & San F R R refundg 4s	21,000	69
St L & San F Ry gen 5s	2,000	104
St L Southwestern 1st 4s	1,000	83½
Cons 4s	5,000	60
	2,000	59⅝
Scioto V & N E 4s	7,000	90½
Southern Pac 4s	2,000	83½
	5,000	83⅝
Southn Ry 1st 5s	1,000	88⅞
	29,000	89
	1,000	89½
	9,000	89¾
	2,000	90
	1,000	90¼
	8,000	90⅛
Southn Ry Mem div 4½s-5s	12,000	98
Southern Railway St L div 4s	2,000	71
Third Av 1st 5s	10,000	104
	30,000	103½
Third Av con 4s Cen Trust Co ctfs	2,000	49
Ulstr & D 1st 5s	2,000	104
Union Pac 1st 4s	5,000	99⅞
	5,000	99½
Union Pac cv 4s	27,000	84⅛
U S R & Imp 5s	1,000	70
U S Steel Corp sink fund 5s	3,000	94
	25,000	94⅛
	7,000	94
	12,000	93⅞
	6,000	93⅞
	35,000	94
	1,000	93⅞
	5,000	94⅛
	7,000	94⅛
	2,000	94⅜
	3,000	94¼
	38,000	94⅜
	25,000	94¼
	10,000	94⅛
	5,000	94⅛
	5,000	94
	2,000	94⅛
	17,000	94
	13,000	94⅜
	4,000	94¼
	7,000	94⅜
	5,000	94¼
	1,000	94⅛
	1,000	94¼
	1,000	94⅛
	2,000	94¼
	1,000	94¼
	5,000	94
	6,000	94⅛
	9,000	94⅛
	3,000	94¼
	95,000	94⅛
	1,000	94¼
	1,000	94¼
	5,000	94¼
	1,000	94¼
	3,000	94⅜
	1,000	94¼
	3,000	94⅜
	27,000	94¼
	1,000	94⅜
	10,000	94⅜
Registered	500	94¼
	1,000	94
	500	94¼
Wabash 2d 5s	9,000	87
Wab ref & ext 4s	10,000	44¼
	4,000	44⅞
Wab Pitt Ter 2d	2,000	11¼
	10,000	11⅝
West Md cnv 4s	5,000	33½
W U Tel col tr 5s	2,000	84
Westingh El & M 1st cnv s f 5s	8,000s15f	74
	1,000	74⅛
Wheeling & L E 1st con 4s	1,000	63
	3,000	62⅛
Wis Cen gen 4s	4,000	89

Total sales April 1, 1908 .... $1,633,500
From Jan. 1, 1908 211,177,020
Corresponding period last year 146,868,000

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Wednesday, April 1, 1908.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
12,670	Amal. Copper	59	59⅜	58	59
280	Am. Car & F.	31¼	31⅜	31	31⅜
70	Am. Ice	20	20⅛	19⅝	19⅝
760	Am. Locomot.	43⅝	44⅛	43½	44⅛
82,480	Am. Smelting	67⅞	68⅛	66⅛	67⅛
80	Am. Sugar	124½	124½	123⅝	123⅝
580	Anaconda Cop.	37⅝	38⅜	37⅛	38⅜
780	At., T. & S. F.	73	74⅝	73	74⅛
110	Balt. & Ohio	82	82¼	82	82¼
1,430	B'klyn R. T.	45	46⅛	44⅞	45⅝
90	Canadian Pac.	151	152	151	151¼
90	Cent. Leath.	19¼	20⅞	19¼	20⅞
170	Ches. & Ohio	31	31⅝	31	31⅝
10	Chi. Gt. West.	5	5	5	5
2,190	C. M. & St. P.	116⅝	117⅝	116¼	117
6,530	Col. F. & I.	24½	25¼	24	24¾
80	Dist. Securities	31½	31½	31	31
530	Erie	14⅝	15	14½	14⅝
80	Erie 1st pf.	31	31½	31	31½
70	Gt. North. pf.	122¼	122⅝	122¼	122⅝
50	Mo., K. & T.	23	23⅝	23	23⅝
570	Missouri Pac.	40¼	40⅝	40	40⅝
290	Nat. Lead	56¼	56½	55	55½
330	N. Y. Central	97¼	97½	96⅞	97½
10	N. Y., O. & W.	32¼	32¼	32¼	32¼
1,350	Nor. Pacific	126⅝	127¼	126½	127
160	Pacific Mail	29½	29⅜	28⅞	29
720	Pennsylvania	116¼	116½	115⅞	116
10	People's Gas	89	89	89	89
130	Pressed S. Car	23⅛	23⅛	23	23⅛
22,820	Reading	103⅞	104¼	103⅛	103⅞
350	Rep. Steel	18½	19⅛	18¼	18⅝
40	Rock Island	14	14	14	14
10	Rock Island pf.	27	27	27	27
1,580	Southern Pac.	73⅜	73⅞	73	73¼
210	Southern Ry.	13	13⅜	13	13½
30	South. Ry. pf.	38½	38	38	38
37,560	Union Pacific	124½	125⅜	124⅛	125
8,590	U. S. Steel	33⅞	34⅜	33⅝	33⅞
420	U. S. Steel pf.	98¼	98⅜	98⅛	98⅜
30	Utah Copper	32¼	32⅛	30⅝	31⅛
10	Wabash	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
10	Western Union	53½	53½	53½	53½
184,810					
	MINING STOCKS.				
1,800	Atlanta	.26	.26	.26	.26
50	Batopilas	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
600	Blue Bell	.10	.10	.10	.10
400	Crown Point	.20	.25	.24	.24
200	C. C. & Va.	.45	.45	.43	.43
700	Elkton	.54	.54	.53	.53
600	Goldf'd Daisy	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
1,300	Kendall	.22	.22	.20	.22
500	Little Chief	.07	.07	.07	.07
1,000	May Queen	.09½	.09½	.09½	.09½
450	Mexican	.85	.85	.85	.85
100	Ophir	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30
1,000	Pharmacist	.04	.04	.04	.04
2,000	Red Hill	.27½	.27½	.27	.27½
700	Sandstorm	.37	.38	.37	.38
500	Silver Pick	.24	.25	.24	.25
1,400	Tramps Cons.	.22	.22	.21½	.21½
12,800					
	WHEAT.				
438,000	May option	92½	93	91⅞	92⅜

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing quotations for Government bonds and for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r., 1930	103¾	104½
2s, c., 1930, ex int.	104	..
3s, r., 1918	100¼	101¼
3s, c., 1918	101	102
3s, 1918, sm.	100½	..
4s, r., 1925	120½	121½
4s, c., 1925	122½	..
Panama 2s	102⅝	103½
Adams Exp.	166	177
Allis-C. pf.	18½	19
A. A. C. pf.	78	81
A. B. S. pf.	..	80
Am. Can	4⅞	5
Am. Coal	120	150
Am. C. Oil	26⅝	27¾
A. C. O. pf.	82	85
Am. D. Tel.	..	39
Am. Exp.	178	190
Am. G. T.	5¼	6
A. H. & L.	3⅛	3¼
Am. L. Co.	7	8½
Am. L. Co. pf.	17½	25
Am. Malt	5½	6
Am. M. pf.	30	35
A. S. pf. B	76	78
Am. Snuff	150	240
Am. Sn. pf.	82½	88
Am. St. Fd.	5	6
A. S. F. pf.	30½	31½
A. S. R. pf.	120	124
A. T. & C.	52	65
A. T. & T.	108	110
A. Tob. pf.	84⅞	86
Am. W. Co. pf.	82	84½
Ann Arbor	20	30
Ann A. pf.	70	80
A., T. & S. F. pf.	85½	86
Atl. C. L.	70½	72
B. & O. pf.	82	85
Beth. Steel	12	13¾
Beth. S. pf.	30	35½
B. Un. G.	105	110
B., R. & P.	73	105
B., R. & P. pf.	96	..
B. & S. pf.	..	65
But'k Co.	19½	25
Canada So.	58	60
C. C. C. &	..	60
C. R. R. of N. J.	170	175
C. & S. A. Tel.	95	110
Chi. & Alt.	10½	13
C. & A. pf.	..	49
C., B. & Q.	150	240
C. & E. Ill. pf.	..	150
Chi. Gt. W. pf., A.	17	25
Chi. Gt. W. pf., B.	6¾	7
Chi. Gt. W. deb.	40	50
C., I. & L. pf.	40	90
C., M. & St. P. pf., 45% paid	134	135
C., M. & St. P. pf.	144	147
C. & N. W. pf.	185	200
C., St. P., M. & Om. pf.	145	160
Chi. T. T.	2	5
C. T. T. pf.	10	20
C. U. T. pf. ctfs.	4	6
C., S. & C. pf.	100	..
C., C., C. & St. L.	53¼	54¼
C., C., C. & St. L. pf.	89	92
C. F. & I. pf.	40	50
Consol. Coal	..	90
C. P. R. pf.	63	66
C. R. & L.	61½	..
D., L. & W.	474	485
D. & R. G.	19¼	21
D. M. & Ft. D.	7	12
Det. South.	2	6
Det. So. pf.	15	40
Det. U. R.	31½	..
Ev. & T. H.	65	80
Ev. & T. H. pf.	80	100
F. M. & S.	50	81
F. M. & S. pf.	70	72
Fed. S. pf.	85	90
Gen. C. Co.	50	70
Gen. C. Co. pf.	85	95
Gen. Elect.	125	129
G. & S. T.	100	110
Granby Con.	92	99
Gt. N. cts., 95% paid	121½	123
Hav. E. Ry.	19	24
Hav. E. Ry. pf.	63½	95
Hock. V. r.	70	73
Hock. V. pf.	70	75
Inger.-Rand	40	..
Inger.-R. pf.	80	..
Int. M. M.	7	9½
Int. Power	34	37
I. S. P. pf.	69½	70¼
Iowa Cent.	12	12½
Iowa C. pf.	32	35
K. & M. r.	25	30
K. C., Ft. S. & M. pf.	55	62
Kan. C. So.	22	22½
Kan. C. So. pf.	52	54
K. & D. M.	3	8
K. & D. M. pf.	15	30
Laclede Gas	..	100
Lacl. G. pf.	50	100
L. E. & W.	14	15
L. E. & W. pf.	36	50
Lake Shore	275	..
Long Island	32	37
Mah. C. R.	280	..
Man. Beach	3	5
Md. C. pf.	75	..
Met. St. R.	17	..
Mex. Cent.	18½	19
Mich. Cent.	140	175
M. S. T. pf.	..	90
M. & St. L. pf.	62½	68
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pf.	125	135
Mo. K. & T. pf.	54	55¾
N., C. & St. L.	104	110
Nat. Biscuit	78	79¾
Nat. B. pf.	114	116
Nat. Enam.	9	9¾
Nat. En. pf.	70	80
N. R. R. of Mex. pf.	49½	51
N. Cent. C.	25	37
N. Y., C. & St. L. 1st pf.	85	95
N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf.	60	67
N. Y. D. Co.	28	33
N. Y. D. Co. pf., ex d.	71	..
N. Y., N. H. & H.	130	133¼
N. Y., O. & West.	32¾	33
N. & W. pf.	70	80
North. Am.	50	50¼
Ont. Mining	3¼	4
Pac. Coast	72	74¼
P. C. 1st pf.	80	100
P. C. 2d pf.	76	79
Peo. & E.	16	18
P., C., C. & St. L.	66	69
P., C., C. & St. L. pf.	82	90
Pitts. Coal	9	9½
Pitts. C. pf.	40	42
Quicksilver	⅜	¾
Q'ksil'r pf.	1	5
R. S. S. pf.	80	90
Rdg. 1st pf.	82	83¾
Rens. & Sar.	180	185
R., W. & O.	114	..
Rutland pf.	26	35
St. L. & S. F. 1st pf.	45	55
St. L. & S. F. 2d pf.	26½	27½
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. ctfs.	100	..
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. new ctfs.	40	60
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. pf. ctfs.	..	130
St. L. S. W.	12	13¼
St. L. S. W. pf.	31	33
S.-S. S. & I. pf.	90	95
Texas Cent.	40	..
Texas Cent. pf.	70	..
Texas Pac.	16	[illegible]
T., St. L. Tr.	56	60
T., P. & W.	16	20¼
T. R. & L.	9	25
T. St. L. & W.	18¼	18½
U. B. & P.	5½	6
U. C. M. pf.	84	90
U. Rys. Inv.	15	17
U. R. I. pf.	35	38
U. S. C. I. Pipe pf.	67½	70
U. S. Exp.	88	90
U. S. Leath.	3	12
U. S. L. pf.	94	98
U. S. R. & Imp't	40	41
U. S. R. & Ref.	6	9
U. S. R. & Ref. pf.	22	24
U. S. R. 1st pf.	84½	85½
U. S. R. 2d pf.	52	55
Vand. R. R.	..	85
Va.-Car. Ch. Co.	19¾	20¾
Va. I., C. & Coke	47	51
Vulcan Det.	3	5¼
Vul. D. pf.	8	25
W.-F. Exp.	250	300
Westingh'se 1st pf.	60	80
W. & L. E.	6	7¼
W. & L. E. 1st pf.	15	16
W. & L. E. 2d pf.	7½	8¼
Wis. Cent.	14½	15¾
Wis. C. pf.	37½	39⅛

PITTSBURG TRANSACTIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, April 1.—The following were the closing transactions on the local Exchange to-day:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
	STOCKS.			
300	Antelope Mining	50c.	50c.	50c.
83	Consolidated Ice	5½	5¼	5¼
100	Crucible Steel pf.	36⅜	36⅞	36⅜
15	Fireproofing pf.	14	14	14
50	Harb.-Walker Ref. pf.	68	67½	68
5	Ind. Brewing pf.	24	24	24
1,600	Interior Mining	15c.	14c.	14c.
135	Mfrs. L. & H.	12½	12¼	12¼
100	Ohio Fuel	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
10	Pitts. Brewing pf.	38	38	38
22	Pitts. Coal pf.	40	39¾	40
2,000	Pitts. Consolidated	11c.	11c.	11c.
5	Pitts. Plate Glass	90½	90½	90½
101	Union Switch	71¼	71	71¼
10	U. S. Steel	33½	33½	33½
93	U. S. Steel pf.	98⅝	98	98
3	Westing. A. B.	97	93¾	93¾
75	West. Electric 2ds	28¼	25¼	26¼
	BONDS.			
$1,000	Pitts., McK. & C. 5s	102	102	102

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks to-day were as follows:

Alta	.01
Andes	.06
Belcher	.10
Best & Belcher	.56
Caledonia	.11
Con. Cal. & Va.	.40
Con. Imperial	.01
Crown Point	.22
Gould & Curry	.08
Hale & Norcross	.29
Mexican	.84
Occidental Con.	.10
Ophir	2.35
Overman	.02
Potosi	.04
Savage	.31
Sag Belcher	.05
Sierra Nevada	.33
Union Con.	.36
Yellow Jacket	.73

Silver bars, 55¼; Mexican dollars, [illegible]; drafts, sight, 11@12½ cents premium; telegraph, 14@15 cents premium.

TONOPAH.	
Belmont	1.10
Golden Anchor	.03
Jim Butler	.30
McNamara	.35
Midway	.54
Montana	1.80
Ohio	.12
Tonopah Extension	.74
West End	.28
GOLDFIELD.	
Adams	.05
Atlanta	.23
Blue Bell	.01
Combination Fract.	.70
Crackerjack	.08
Daisy	1.35
Diamondfield	.16
Goldfield C. M.	5.15
Jumbo Extension	.50
Kendall	.20
Lone Star	.08
May Queen	.02
Mohawk Extension	.05
Red Hills	.27
Sandstorm	.39
St. Ives	.27
Silver Pick	.23
BULLFROG.	
Bullfrog Min.	.05
Bullfrog N. B.	.09
Gold Bar	.18
Homestake King	.30
Montgomery Mtn.	.13
Original Bullfrog	.01
Steinway	.06
Tramps Cons.	.20

Paper Dividend Reduced.

Following the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the International Paper Company, the Directors declared a 1 per cent. quarterly dividend on the preferred stock yesterday instead of the usual 1½ per cent.

Henry Clews & Co.,
BANKERS,
11, 13, 15, AND 17 BROAD ST.
Members of the N. Y. Stock Exchange.
Cheque accounts received and interest paid on balances. Orders filled for Bond, Note, and Stock issues of
GOVERNMENTS—CITIES—RAILROADS
and advances made thereon.
LETTERS OF CREDIT
ISSUED AVAILABLE THE WORLD OVER.

Fulton Trust Co.
OF NEW YORK
30 NASSAU ST.
Interest on Deposits.
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, $1,200,000
HENRY C. SWORDS, Pres. H. H. CAMMANN, Vice-Pres.
H. W. REIGHLEY, Sec. C. M. VAN KLEECK, Asst. Sec.

COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY
Capital & Surplus $2,000,000
Independent of the Control of any single interest.
26 NASSAU ST., N. Y.

Guaranty Trust Co.
OF NEW YORK.
28 NASSAU ST., New York.
33 LOMBARD ST., London, E. C.
Capital, $2,000,000. Surplus, $5,500,000
JOHN W. CASTLES, President.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Narrow Range of Prices.

Few traders were satisfied with yesterday's market, inasmuch as the fluctuations during the day indicated nothing more than irregularity and apathy. The opening prices were in some instances of a character tending to inspire the belief that a sharp upward movement might be expected to continue during the day. The most notable example of strength in the initial trading was Union Pacific, which showed an improvement over the final figures of the preceding night of 1⅜ points. The opening figure was 125¼, and the closing figure at the end of the session was 125⅛, and the average fluctuation from the opening price in any direction was about ½ point. The stock ranged from 124½ to 125¾, and there was nothing in the reactionary tendency or the upward movement at any time to arouse any enthusiasm either on the long or the short side of the speculative accounts. Other stocks acted in a somewhat similar fashion. There was no news during the day of what might be called special importance, although there were several anticipated developments. Brokers confessed that they were at a loss to size up the market during the session. Certainly, there was not enough of special interest on which to formulate a definite opinion.

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Influence of Erie News.

It was assumed that the news in the morning papers concerning Erie would have a beneficial influence on the market, but the expected benefits seemed to be concentrated at the opening. The London markets were more favorably influenced than ours, and the quotations received before the opening of this market indicated a hearty acceptance of the idea that Erie would be pulled through all its difficulties at the present time. Some uneasy shorts, some bullish manipulation, and some improvement in general sentiment sufficed to compel the better prices at the opening. That the subsequent market did not really do very much more in the way of improvement than was accomplished at the opening was scarcely surprising in view of the fact that there was a distinct disposition to criticise what were assumed to be the plans for helping the Erie out of its present difficulties. There were two camps of those interested in Erie and its plans, one contending that an issue of notes would make possible all necessary relief and others holding that a receivership would be the better, as surgery and not medication is needed.

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Action of Specific Stocks.

Sharp advances in the Erie stocks were assumed to represent official sentiment in the matter of the immediate outlook for the company. It is doubtful if there was much general speculation in these securities, but no one with any hope for a betterment in the general market was disposed to cavil at the marking up of the stocks and other securities of the company. Smelters seemed to be affected by the pronounced bullishness on the stock of an ultra spectacular speculator, whose affection for it was publicly displayed in type apparently to the annoyance of others who were equally interested in the stock and equally bullish, but less effusive in their method of showing their faith. The recession in Smelters and the incidental heaviness in Amalgamated Copper were sufficient to retard any general upward movement in the list. Some irritation is displayed in brokerage offices over Amalgamated Copper. The bullishness expressed in certain quarters when the stock crossed 60 was so enthusiastic and so apparently the views of those most interested in the stock that some of the timid bulls made commitments on the long side. The recession has made them more nervous than ever, and they have since realized that it is not safe to take gossip which may originate any place and assume it to have an official savor.

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Atchison Action Conservative.

Nothing but the expected happened when the Atchison Directors declared a semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent., thereby reducing the rate to a 5 per cent. basis. This is merely the verification of the common talk of the financial district for several weeks past, and the action of the stock showing as it did during the trading session fundamental strength, would seem to indicate an acceptance of the action of the Directors as entirely conservative and correct. Certainly Atchison did as well as could be expected in the market during the day and possibly better than if there had been no dividend action which could be construed as a special influence. The reduction of the dividend on International Paper preferred was not a surprise either, inasmuch as such action by the Directors of that company had been expected also. The only bad thing about these dividend reductions is the fact that they serve to increase the gossip concerning other companies and all sorts of dividend reductions are predicted without regard to the precise situation.

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Steel Quarterly Figures.

Unofficial figures were submitted yesterday indicating that the earnings of the Steel Corporation for the quarter ended March 31 would be less than $17,000,000. It has been intimated unofficially also that the earnings for the last two weeks of March were not at all satisfactory. This news should not have any particular effect, inasmuch as it ought to have been pretty thoroughly discounted by the knowledge of the facts recorded daily during the last three months. Steel men are not apparently anxious with regard to the situation. The head of one of the big independent companies told one of his friends the other day that he is now running at the rate of about 80 per cent. of the normal during the past two years, and that he is perfectly satisfied with the result. Probably special conditions made this possible, but it is certain that all the companies are not running at anywhere near this rate just yet. One influencing factor which may be effective later on was the statement that the present condition of Winter wheat is 2 per cent. higher than a year ago at this time, and more than 5 per cent. higher than the average figures over a series of years. Just at the moment, however, technical conditions are dominant, but it is surprising to note how many, eliminating all other conditions pin their faith in permanent improvement in a bumper crop.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—A smaller amount of business was transacted at the local Exchange to-day, but it was better distributed. The bulk of the trading was in Reading, United States Steel, and the Tonopahs. An unusually large number of different arbitrage stocks were dealt in. Prices showed some irregularity. Total sales—24,679 shares.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
420	Amal. Copper	58⅞	58	58⅞
100	Am. Locomotive	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
200	Am. Smelting	67¼	66⅞	67¼
8	Bank of North Am.	274	274	274
30	Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	45¼	45¼	45¼
65	Cambria Iron	46¼	46¼	46¼
585	Cambria Steel	29	28⅞	28⅞
10	C. F. & I.	25	25	25
485	Electric Co. of Am.	9⅛	9	9⅛
800	Erie	15	14⅝	14⅝
85	Gen. Asphalt pf., t. c.	23	23	23
8	Ins. Co. of N. A.	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
1,128	Lehigh Valley	54⅞	54⅜	54⅝
68	Lehigh Nav. t. c.	84	82½	82½
10	N.Y., Phil. & Norf. t.c.	130	130	130
4	North Pennsylvania	99	99	99
892	Pennsylvania	58 5-16	57 15-16	58⅛
51	Pennsylvania Salt Co.	98	99	98
800	Phila. Electric	7¾	7¾	7¾
655	Phila. Rapid Transit	17¼	17¼	17¼
35	Phila. Traction	86½	86	86½
2,630	Reading	52⅛	51¾	51¾
100	Reading 2d pf.	40	40	40
3,615	Tonopah Belmont	1⅛	1	1 1-16
2,629	Tonopah Mining	7⅝	7½	7 9-16
76	Union Traction	52	51⅞	51⅞
871	United Gas Imp.	79	78½	78½
2,960	United States Steel	34¼	33⅝	34
14	United States Steel pf.	99	99	99
12	West Jersey & Seashore	45½	45½	45½

URGES COMMISSION TO STUDY CURRENCY

Chamber of Commerce Committee Favors Neither the Fowler Nor the Aldrich Bill.

QUESTION COMES UP TO-DAY

Further Consideration Needed, the Report Says, Before Any Currency Measure Passes Congress.

The Committee on Finance and Currency of the Chamber of Commerce made public yesterday the report on the currency measures now before Congress which will be submitted to the Chamber at its meeting to-day. Both the Aldrich bill and the Fowler bill, the committee states, are distinctly at variance with the principles approved by the Chamber, and are so antagonistic to each other that comprehensive legislation at an early date is improbable.

The committee gives its approval to the plan for the appointment of a special currency commission and urges that support be given to the substance of the Lovering bill recently introduced in the House. This bill provides for the appointment of a commission of six members of the House, six members of the Senate, and six other persons to be named by the President, to investigate the causes of the recent crisis and to recommend banking and currency changes.

The committee's report recommends that further consideration should be given to the question of currency reform before any law on the subject is enacted, and with this object it supports the plan for the appointment of a special commission.

Regarding the scope that currency reform should assume, the committee says:

> It is manifestly necessary to provide a system that shall give the country not only a sound medium of exchange, and afford a greater degree of stability in interest rates for all sections at all times, but also shall adequately regulate the volume of currency and the exchanges, both domestic and foreign, and thus lead to a restraint of unwholesome expansion, and avoid the periodic disastrous reactions which seriously retard the Nation's development, interrupt its prosperity, and impair its standing among commercial nations.

The committee is headed by James G. Cannon, Vice President of the Fourth National Bank. The other members of the committee are August Belmont, James T. Woodward, John I. Waterbury, William A. Nash, and Maurice L. Muhleman.

THE COFFEE MARKET.

Coffee was inactive yesterday, transactions for the day amounting to only 6,000 bags. The market opened unchanged to an advance of 5 points in sympathy with higher French cables, but lost the gain under moderate offerings to close steady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Havre was ¼ franc higher, and Hamburg was ¼ to ½ pfennig higher. Rio declined 50 reis, and Santos was unchanged. Receipts at the two ports were full, 25,000 bags against 24,000 the previous day, 55,000 last year, and 13,000 two years ago. Jundiahy receipts were 10,000 bags, against 28,000 last year and 8,000 two years ago. New York warehouse deliveries continued liberal, 13,302 bags being reported, against 18,970 last year and 10,012 two years ago.

The proposal to put a prohibitive tariff on Venezuela coffee was discussed. The duty levied on imports of coffee from Venezuela under the Wilson bill was 3 cents per pound, and proved prohibitive, so that there are precedents for the present movement. Last season about 445,000 bags of Venezuelan coffee were imported into the United States.

Spot coffee was quiet—6c for Rio No. 7.

The range of contract prices in the local markets was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues. Close.
April	..	..	5.65@5.70	5.65
May	5.70	5.70	5.70@5.75	5.70
June	5.75	5.75	5.70@5.75	5.70
July	5.75	5.75	5.70@5.75	5.70
August	..	..	5.75@5.80	5.75
September	5.80	5.80	5.75@5.80	5.75
October	..	..	5.75@5.80	5.80
November	..	..	5.80@5.90	5.80
December	..	..	5.85@5.90	5.85
January	..	..	5.85@5.90	5.85
February	5.90	5.90	5.90@5.95	5.90
March	..	..	5.90@5.95	..

THE TREASURY BALANCES.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—National banknotes received to-day for redemption, $1,278,843; Government receipts from internal revenue, $484,856; customs, $855,504; miscellaneous, $173,469; expenditures, $1,810,000.

The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

RESERVE FUND.	
Gold coin and bullion	$150,000,000
TRUST FUNDS, TO REDEEM OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES.	
Gold coin	$835,010,869
Silver dollars	452,048,000
Silver dollars of 1890	5,240,000
Total	$1,292,298,869
General fund	176,831,078
Deposits in National banks	202,662,622
In Philippine Treasury	4,064,367
Awaiting reimbursement	11,764
Current liabilities	120,961,641

The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business March 31, 1908, the total debt, less cash in the Treasury, amounted to $909,721,337, which is an increase for the month of $9,299,591.

The comparative statement of Government receipts and expenditures for March, 1908, shows the receipts to have aggregated $44,616,965, which is the lowest point reached in several years. The expenditures for March were $53,201,329, which leaves a deficit for the month of $8,584,364, and a deficit for the nine months of the present fiscal year of $35,675,000. For March, 1907, there was a surplus of $10,600,000.

The receipts from customs amounted to $21,155,047, a loss as compared with March, 1907, of $7,300,000. Internal revenue receipts also fell from $22,556,920, in March, 1907, to $19,543,889 for last month. The expenditures show large increases.

The monthly circulation statement issued by the Controller of the Currency shows that at the close of business March 31, 1908, the amount of National banknotes outstanding was $696,407,355, which is an increase for the year of $99,195,292, and an increase for the month of $732,836.

The circulation based on United States bonds amounted to $628,834,336, an increase for the year of $81,201,273, and a decrease for the month of $3,624,376.

The amount of circulation based on lawful money was $67,573,019, an increase for the year of $17,994,019, and an increase for the month of $4,357,212.

The amount of bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was $632,422,570, and to secure public deposits, $231,155,783.

TRADING IN BALTIMORE.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, April 1.—The tone of the local market to-day was an improvement over that of yesterday. Prices were firmer and the dealings were fairly well distributed over the list. Seaboard 4s advanced ¾. Mount Vernon Woodberry Cotton Duck 5s were up ¾. Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power preferred declined 5 points, and Consolidation Coal was down 2 points. The close was firm and dull. Shares, 540. Bonds, $39,000.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
	BONDS.			
$1,000	Baltimore City 3½s	98	98	98
1,000	Ga. & Pac. 1st 6s	106	106	106
28,000	Seaboard 4s	47½	46½	47½
6,000	United Railways inc.	50¼	50¼	50¼
3,000	Cotton Duck 5s	70	70	70
	STOCKS.			
25	Atlantic Coast Line	71	71	71
350	Seaboard Co. com.	5½	5½	5½
10	Northern Central	85	85	85
55	Con. Gas, E. L. & P.	70	70	70
100	Consolidation Coal	85	85	85

New Stock Exchange Firm Formed.

The firm of Morris, Smith & Davenport was dissolved yesterday by mutual consent and David Orr Davenport formed a new Stock Exchange house, under the firm name of Davenport & Co., with Robert G. Kennedy as general partner, and Henry K. McHarg as special partner. Mr. McHarg is one of the best known members of the Stock Exchange. He is Vice President of the Bank of the Manhattan Company, President of the Virginia Southwestern Railway and prominently identified with several other corporations.

THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

Happenings of a Day at London, Paris, and Berlin.

LONDON, April 1.—The supplies of money were easier on the market to-day. Discounts were weak, despite the low Continental exchange.

The Stock Exchange has not yet felt the effect of the easier money conditions, but the tone of gilt-edged securities was cheerful in anticipation of increased business, except in the case of consols, which dropped on realizations in the afternoon. Paris sent better support and caused an improvement in diamond shares. American shares, after a weak opening, rallied to nearly a point over parity on news of the finance plan of the Erie Railroad. The bears covered and some Continental buying helped the improvement. The afternoon session was quiet. Copper shares were weak on further liquidation. Amalgamated Copper, however, was offered rather freely.

Money, 2@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills was 2⅜@2¼ per cent.; for three months' bills, 2⅛@2½ per cent.

BERLIN, April 1.—Yesterday's New York and London advices exercised a depressing effect on prices on the Boerse here to-day. American securities lost rather sharply. Home shares were partly higher.

PARIS, April 1.—Prices on the Bourse to-day were heavy, but improved toward the close.

Closing: Three per cent. rentes, 96f 90c for the account.

Exchange on London, 25f 12c for checks.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Following are yesterday's quotations for several European State and municipal securities:

	Bid.	Asked.
German consol 3½s	91	92
German consol 3s	81¾	82½
Bavarian Government 4s	99½	100½
Hessian Government 3½s	90½	91½
Saxony Government 3s	81½	82¼
Hamburg Government 3s	80½	81½
City of Cologne 4s	98	99
City of Munich 4s	98½	99½
City of Augsburg 4s	98½	99½
City of Frankfort-on-Main 3½s	90½	91½
Mexican Government gold 5s	100½	101¼
Russian Government 4s	83	84
French rente 3s	96½	97½
British consol 2½s	87½	88¼

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing prices in London yesterday for American stocks, comparisons being made between the New York equivalent and the previous New York closing:

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Clos.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	87 9-16	..	..	— ⅛
Consols, account	87 13-16	..	..	— ⅛
Anaconda	7⅝	36⅞	37½	— ⅝
Atchison	75⅛	73⅝	72⅝	+ ¾
Can. Pac.	155⅝	151¼	151	+ ¼
St. Paul	120	116⅝	115⅞	+ ¾
Erie	15⅝	15	13⅞	+ 1⅜
Erie 1st pf.	34	33	29	+ 4
Ill Cent.	130	126½	125¼	+ 1
Lou. & Nash.	100½	97⅝	96½	+ 1⅛
N. Y. Cent.	100½	97⅝	97	+ ⅝
Pennsylvania	59⅝	116⅛	115⅝	+ ½
Reading	53⅛	104	103	+ 1
So. Pac.	75⅝ex	75	74⅝	+ ¼
Un. Pac.	128¼	124¾	123⅞	+ ⅞
U. S. Steel	34⅜	33⅝	33⅜	+ ¼
U. S. Steel pf.	101⅛	98¼	98	+ ¼

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

All grades of copper were reduced ⅛c in the bid and asking figures on the Metal Exchange yesterday, with the exception of lake, which was lowered ⅛c in the asking figure only. Lake is now quoted at 13@13¼c, electrolytic at 12⅞@13⅛c, and castings at 12⅜@12⅞c.

In the London market also copper made substantial declines, spot and futures both losing £1 from the last prices of Tuesday. The last prices were: Spot, £58 17s 6d; futures, £59 7s 6d. Pig tin continued on the downward trend and closed at a loss of £1 15s for spot and of £2 5s for futures, at £141 5s and £139 10s respectively. Lead was 2s 6d off, at £14 2s 6d. Spelter was unchanged at £21 2s 6d. Iron warrants were weak at 49s 6d for standard foundry and 50s 9d for Middlesboro.

The closing bid and asked prices of copper and other metals, for spot delivery, on the New York Metal Exchange yesterday compare as follows with those of the previous day:

	Wednesday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
Lake	13.00	13.25	13.00	13.37½
Electrolytic	12.87½	13.12½	13.00	13.25
Castings	12.37½	12.87½	12.75	13.00
Lead	3.90	4.00	3.95	4.00
Spelter	4.60	4.70	4.60	4.70
Tin	30.75	31.25	31.75	32.00

CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, April 1.—Business on the local Exchange was very much restricted in the early trading. Chicago Telephone receded ½, to 115, and Diamond Match ¼, to 127. Illinois Brick fell back to 30¼, but the remainder of the list was steady and inactive.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	American Can	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
37	Booth & Co.	25	25	25
150	Chicago Subway	17½	17¼	17½
161	Chicago Telephone	115½	114¾	114¾
75	Commonwealth Edison	91	91	91
16	Diamond Match	127	126¾	126¾
15	Illinois Brick	30¼	30¼	30¼
25	National Biscuit pf.	112	112	112
125	South Side Elevated	60	60	60
65	Street's Stable Car	27⅜	27⅛	27⅛
151	Swift & Co.	97½	97⅛	97½
50	United Boxboard	1¼	1¼	1¼
230	United Boxboard pf.	9¼	9	9

INCORPORATED IN NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, N. J., April 1.—These companies were incorporated here to-day:

The Aetna Mining Company, Jersey City; capital stock, $1,000,000. Incorporators—H. O. Coughlan, L. H. Guenther, John R. Turner. The company is to conduct a mining business.

Diamond Corset Shield Company, Jersey City; capital, $20,000. Incorporators—H. M. Armstrong, Milton Houghton, Lillian H. Andrews. The concern is to manufacture wearing apparel.

Fruit and Produce Shippers' Association of the State of New Jersey, Palmyra; capital, $2,500. Incorporators—Louis A. Page, Charles B. Jessup, and Benjamin Lippincott. The company is to buy and ship fruit and produce.

The General Light Company, Camden; capital, $100,000. Incorporators—Joseph L. Suergard, Edwin R. Gerber, and Simon Friedberger. The company will manufacture and produce light for illuminating.

The Interchangeable Grate Bar Company, Camden; capital, $200,000. Incorporators—Charles W. Rollin, George Dary, Henry A. Dary. The company will manufacture grate bars.

Monmouth County Kennel Club, Long Branch; capital, $3,000. Incorporators—M. Robert Guggenheim, Theodore Opperman, N. G. Kohn. The company will promote sport events.

The O'Brien Rubber Thread and Webbing Company, Trenton; capital, $250,000. Incorporators—W. J. O'Brien, Spencer B. Hibbs, and Richard Barlow. The concern will manufacture electric webbing.

Spottswood-Cusack Company, Orange; capital, $100,000. Incorporators—George Spottswood, Thomas M. Cusack, George W. Jones. The company will develop coal and iron lands.

Petry's Express and Delivery Company, Trenton; capital, $25,000. Incorporators—Fred Petry, Herbert C. Silcox, and Margaret E. Silcox. The company will do a general carting and delivery business.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Harry Van Cortlandt Fish, formerly of Winmill & Fish, has become associated with Blake & Reeves, 34 Pine Street.

H. T. Carey & Co. have opened a branch office in Morristown, N. J., under the management of Augustus L. Revere.

E. F. Hutton of the Stock Exchange house of E. F. Hutton & Co. has returned from a three months' vacation in Florida.

Joseph F. Haggerty, formerly with Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, is now associated with Charles D. Barney & Co. at 25 Broad Street.

Announcement was made at the Consolidated Stock Exchange yesterday of the withdrawal of J. M. Smith from the firm of Smith Brothers of 20 Broad Street.

The Sutro Committee of Western Maryland bondholders announced yesterday that the time for the deposit of bonds with the committee has been extended to April 10.

Archibald S. White, C. L. Parmelee, George H. Hull, Jr., and Lytle Hull have formed a copartnership under the firm name of White & Co., with offices at 25 Pine Street. The firm will make a specialty of first mortgage railroad and corporation bonds. Mr. White is a Director of the Windsor Trust Company.

Davenport & Co., a new Stock Exchange firm, have opened offices at 3 Broad Street. The firm consists of David O. Davenport, the Exchange member, of the late firm of Morris, Smith & Davenport; Robert G. Kennedy, who was for several years with the United States Trust Company, and Henry K. McHarg, special. Henry M. Libby, lately associated with the firm of R. A. Lancaster & Sons, will also be associated with the new firm.

White & Co., a new banking house, have opened offices at 25 Pine Street. They will make a specialty of first mortgage railroad and corporation bonds. Archibald S. White, the head of the firm, is largely interested in gas and coal properties in Ohio. C. L. Parmelee, another member, was for many years with Redmond, Kerr & Co. George H. Hull, Jr., was formerly connected with the banking firm of Bertron, Storrs & Griscom. Lytle Hull was formerly connected with Baring, Magoun & Co.

The Stock Exchange announces that all transactions in Northern Pacific Railway Company subscription receipts are sixth installment paid; total installments paid, 62½ per cent. Quotation has been discontinued on New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company warrants for subscription to 3½ per cent. convertible debenture certificate, third installment, 75 per cent paid. Eastern Railway of Minnesota first division first mortgage guaranteed 5 per cent. bonds, due 1908, have been stricken from the list.

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
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WILLIAM A. DAY, WILLIAM P. DIXON, JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD,
JOHN T. LOCKMAN, HENRY MORGENTHAU, JAMES N. WALLACE.

ERIE BOARD MEETS TO-DAY.

Road's Banking Interests Feel Others Should Provide Some Cash.

The announcement that the Erie Railroad had received permission of the Public Service Commission to issue $15,000,000 of secured five-year notes was followed yesterday by violent advances in several issues of the road's securities, particularly in the notes which fall due next Wednesday, which rose to 93 after having been offered on Tuesday as low as 82. At the close of the day the company's stock showed gains of 1⅛ in the common, 2½ in the first preferred, and 4⅝ in the second preferred. The trading in them was even lighter than it was during the previous decline.

The Executive Committee of the Erie met yesterday, but made no announcement. The full board is to meet to-day. At this meeting, it is expected, final consideration will be given to the plans of the Directors regarding the road's maturing obligations. It is still expected that an exchange of the new notes will be offered for those which are about to fall due. The plan under consideration yesterday, it was said, was to name a trust company through which such an exchange would be effected. What plans were being laid to provide for the notes, the holders of which might not accept the offer of exchange, was not made known.

Wall Street heard rumors that the question of the actual raising of cash to meet the Erie's requirements had become a matter of some disagreement among the Directors. It was said that the banking interests identified with the road did not feel called upon to provide all the cash that was needed, and intimated that other interests in the road should supply some of the money.

ATCHISON RATE IS CUT.

The Dividend Reduced from a 6 to a 5 Per Cent. Basis.

The Atchison Directors declared yesterday a semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent. on the common stock, reducing the dividend from a 6 per cent. to a 5 per cent. basis. The announcement was followed by an advance in the price of the stock, which closed with a net gain of 1⅜ points.

It was said that the Directors gave very thorough consideration to all points of view of the proposed dividend reduction and came to the decision reached only after much discussion. Victor Morawetz, Chairman of the Atchison board, was quoted as saying:

"How long the stock will remain on a 5 per cent. basis will depend upon future conditions. Crop prospects are good along the Atchison, and in my opinion traffic returns will show a slow but gradual improvement. The falling off in net earnings has been due chiefly to the decline in the volume of high grade traffic, such as merchandise, machinery, &c. The movement ought to increase from this time, but it is hard to tell how soon machinery shipments will be resumed on the usual scale. That will depend on money conditions."

Paying Oriental Depositors.

Something over half of the depositors of the Oriental Bank have now been paid off by the Metropolitan Trust Company under the liquidation agreement made with the bank's stockholders. All of the preferred creditors have been satisfied, and the depositors are being paid at the rate of between 100 to 200 daily.

SECURITIES AT AUCTION.

The following securities were disposed of at auction yesterday at the Exchange Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, Adrian H. Muller & Son, auctioneers:

100 shares Merchants' Exchange National Bank, $50 each, 165.

22 shares Home Realty Company, $100 each, $1 per share.

$5,000 United Telephone and Telegraph Company 5 per cent. thirty-year gold bonds, due Jan. 31, 1931, principal and interest payable at Equitable Trust Company, Philadelphia, $4,250 the lot.

15 shares First National Bank of New York, $100 each, 640½ to 641.

$10,000 Suffolk Gas Company first mortgage 5 per cent. twenty-five-year gold bonds, due January, 1932, interest January and July, July, 1907, coupons attached; also 1 Roman missal, red and black, Gothic characters of early fifteenth century, $500.

50 shares National Copper Bank, $100 each, 195¼.

10 shares Chase National Bank, $100 each, 230.

25 shares Lincoln Trust Company, $100 each, 101.

100 shares St. Joseph & Grand Island Railway second preferred, $100 each, 15¼.

$2,000 Pittsburg, Shenango & Lake Erie Railroad first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, due October, 1940, interest April and October, 111¼.

$7,000 Southern Railway, St. Louis Division, first mortgage 4 per cent. bonds, due January, 1951, interest January and July, 70¼.

10 shares Walter A. Wood Mowing and Reaping Machine Company, $100 each, 8⅛.

35 shares North American Underwriting Company 6 per cent. preferred cumulative, $12 the lot.

5 shares Hudson Navigation Company, $100 each, 7.

700 shares Trinity Syndicate, $100 each, 4.

$10,000 Northern Westchester Securities Company collateral trust thirty-year 5 per cent. bonds, due September, 1936; also note of A. H. Carlisle for $2,500, dated Nov. 7, 1907. The owner or person for whose account the same is held is Garrett P. Linderman. Bonds 17, note $600.

300 shares Trinity Syndicate, $100 each, $1,000 the lot.

57 shares Chatham National Bank, $25 each, 305.

10 shares Importers and Traders' National Bank, $100 each, 520.

25 shares United States Title Guarantee and Indemnity Company, $100 each, 53.

50 shares Goodwin Car Company, $100 each, 5⅛.

$2,000 Missouri Pacific Railway Company consolidated first mortgage 6 per cent. bonds, due 1920, coupons May and November, 106¼.

$2,000 South Carolina & Georgia Railroad Company first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, due 1919, coupons May and November, 96¾.

$2,000 Galveston, Houston & Henderson Railroad Company first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, due 1913, coupons April and October, 90¼.

$1,000 Santa Fe, Prescott & Phoenix Railroad Company first mortgage 5 per cent. bond, due 1942, coupons March and September, 101¼.

$2,000 Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company 5 per cent. fifty-year gold mortgage bonds, due 1945, coupons April and October, 95⅝.

$2,000 Fairmont Coal Company first mortgage sinking fund gold 5 per cent. bonds, due 1931, coupons January and July, 85.

$1,000 Wisconsin Central Railway Company first general mortgage 4 per cent. bond, due July, 1949, coupons January and July, 80¾.

$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company of Virginia and West Virginia 6 per cent. mortgage gold bonds, due 1911, coupons April and October, 101½.

$2,000 St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad general mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, due 1931, coupons January and July, 104.

500 shares Railway Steel Spring Company common, $100 each, 34.

300 shares Pressed Steel Car Company common, $100 each, 23.

10 shares American Sugar Refining Company preferred, $100 each, 120.

$4,000 Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette Railroad Company Land Grant income 7 per cent. registered bonds, due 1911, 35⅛.

4 shares Home Insurance Company, $100 each, 436.

1 membership New York Produce Exchange, (all dues paid,) $251.

15 shares Casualty Company of America, $100 each, 126⅛.

200 shares Forty-seventh Street Realty Company, $1,100 the lot.

$20,000 New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, Michigan Central, collateral 3½ per cent. bonds, due 1998, coupons February and August, 75.

$10,000 Mercedita Sugar Company first mortgage 6 per cent. bonds, due 1915, 90.

5 shares Interborough Realty Company, $100 each, 90.

45 shares Carnegie Trust Company, $100 each, 159.

21 shares Carnegie Trust Company, $100 each, 160.

33 shares Carnegie Trust Company, $100 each, 159.

NEW YORK INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 1.—The following companies were incorporated to-day:

Orange and Cronomer Lakes Power and Electric Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—Arthur H. Ferber, 42 Harrison Street, Stapleton, S. I.; Emily T. Henning, 62 Mount Hope Place; Mertie C. King, 464 East 141st Street, New York.

Mica Mineral Paint Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—Arthur Meyer, 14 Dutch Street; Walter E. Scott, 108 Fulton Street; Jacob G. Lazarus, 154 Nassau Street, New York.

Niagara Non-Refillable Bottle Company, Buffalo, Erie County; capital, $100,000. Directors—Stephen M. Sprysznski, Leon Olszewski, and Leon J. Nowak, Buffalo, N. Y.

Horton Boat, Engine and Supply Company, Rochester, Monroe County; capital, $75,000. Directors—L. La Verne Horton, Clarence D. Larabee, and Melvin A. Brush, Rochester, N. Y.

S. L. Storer & Co., New York, (sea food;) capital, $60,000. Directors—Samuel L. Storer and William B. Storer, 477 Fourth Street, Brooklyn; Samuel Crook, 93 Nassau Street, New York.

Stuart-Ward Company, New York, (contracting;) capital, $50,000. Directors—John T. Condon, 459 Canal Street, New York; Franklin D. Pearle, Summit, N. J.; George A. McLaughlin, 603 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn.

Milrow Realty Company, New York; capital, $50,000. Directors—Charles Rohe, 17 West Eighty-seventh Street; Jacob P. Kirsling, 448 Central Park West, New York; Oswald F. Rohe, Jamaica, L. I.

Bay Leaf Products Company, Owego, Tioga County; capital, $50,000. Directors—James P. Callender, Pauline Szabo, and J. Egbert Peters, 32 Broadway, New York.

Phipps-Munds Realty Company, New York; capital, $50,000. Directors—T. Phillips White, Rye, Westchester County; J. Lawrence Phipps, 503 West 111th Street, New York; John C. Tredwell, Hempstead, L. I.

T. B. R. Company, Glens Falls, Warren County, (real estate;) capital, $45,000. Directors—Lemon Thomson and Charles E. Bullard, Glens Falls; Daniel L. Rogers, Bolton Landing, N. Y.

Sayville Lumber and Hardware Company, Sayville, Suffolk County; capital, $25,000. Directors—Joseph Bailey, J. Robert Bailey, and Sherman Gerard, Patchogue, L. I.

Consumers' Realty Corporation, New York; capital, $20,000. Directors—Leopold Friedheim, 156 Broadway; Herman Bass, 185 East 116th Street; Ira E. Miller, 42 Broadway, New York.

Janeway Button Company of New York; capital, $16,000. Directors—Robert J. Solmson and John L. Duryee, New Brunswick, N. J.; Victor Friedman, 208 Greene Street, New York.

Eighty-sixth Street Theatre Company, New York; capital, $15,000. Directors—Jules Hurtig, Benjamin Hurtig, and Harry J. Seaman, 147 West Forty-second Street, New York.

Westchester Westmoreland Automatic Shoe Cleaning Machine Company, Yonkers, Westchester County; capital, $15,000. Directors—Edward J. Mitchell, 10 Prospect Street; Daniel J. Mahoney, 55 Cliff Avenue; Adolf A. Schaefer, 52 Maple Street, Yonkers, N. Y.

New York Adjustment Corporation, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Harry B. Haven, 2 Rector Street; Richard P. Campbell and Edward K. Baird, 299 Broadway, New York.

Robert C. Martin & Son Company, New York, (building materials;) capital, $10,000. Directors—Robert C. Martin and Robert F. Martin, 156 Fifth Avenue, New York, and Archibald S. Reid, 45 Clinton Street, Newark, N. J.

Streebrook Realty Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Charles F. Streeter, Frank A. Ten Brook, and John H. Kelly, 1,822 Bathgate Avenue, New York.

Thomas Ward Coal Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Thomas Ward, Joseph S. Ward, and William A. Ward, 218 West Eighty-third Street, New York.

Pat Casey Agency, Inc., New York, (amusement agency;) capital, $10,000. Directors—Pat J. Casey, 1,520 Broadway; Meyer W. Livingston, 214 West Forty-second Street, and Mortimer Fishel, 43 Cedar Street, New York.

H. L. Hudson Company, Brooklyn, (metal boxes;) capital, $10,000. Directors—H. L. Hudson, 425 Gates Avenue; Edward D. Cronin, 889 Union Street, Brooklyn, and Fred Knowlton, 638 East 139th Street, New York.

American Checking Machine Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—William H. Baur, 246 West 112th Street; Charles Muller, 318 East Ninth Street, and Paul Wenger, Hotel Astor, New York.

Independent Co-operative Union Segar Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Edward H. Vines, 508 West 135th Street; Victor H. Seegers, 1,161 Hoe Avenue, and Thomas Lynsky, 1,507 Charlotte Street, New York.

Interborough Sign Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—George Albert Wingate, Laurence H. Doorley, and James A. Flanagan, 20 Nassau Street, New York.

American Shoe Manufacturers' Export Company, Owego, Tioga County; capital, $100,000. Directors—James Callender, Pauline Szabo, and William Arthur Babson, 32 Broadway, New York.

Hornby Company, New York, (confectionery;) capital, 10,000. Directors—G. Lloyd King, 714 East Fourth Street, Brooklyn; William H. Mills, 223 West Twenty-first Street, New York; Arthur Appleby, 302 Fifth Street, Weehawken, N. J.

Morningside Hotel Company, New York; capital, $9,000. Directors—Samuel Jaffe, 330 East Thirteenth Street; Samuel Mandeltort, 26 East 105th Street; Samuel Jagoda, 242 West Twenty-sixth Street, New York.

Patchogue Realty Company, Patchogue, Suffolk County; capital, $8,000. Directors—Sidney N. Gerard, Emerson G. Terrell, and James A. Canfield, Patchogue, N. Y.

Anti-Nervous Coffee Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Settinio Piattelli, and Alice O'Brien Piattelli, 431 West 121st Street; Antonio Barone, 137 Mott Street, New York.

Mutual Converting Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Henry E. Goldman, 64 University Place; James Stern, 8 West Seventieth Street; Sanford Simons, 216 West 137th Street, New York.

Marus Cigar Company, New York; capital, $2,500. Directors—George W. Tucker, Jr., and Laurence L. Cowen, 120 Broadway; Arthur Powell, 202 West 140th Street, New York.

Co-operative Publishing and Manufacturing Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Ernest J. Cox and Anna F. Chamberlain, 510 West 185th Street; Victor H. Holland, 915 Madison Avenue, New York.

Reliable Roofing and Damp Proofing Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Philip Jacobsohn, 278 Brook Avenue; Isidor Newman, 108 West 111th Street, New York; Herm Malkin, 170 Williams Avenue, Brooklyn.

Ormont Realty Company, New York; capital, $500. Directors—Samuel I. Goldberg, 80 Wall Street; Araham I. Smolens, 61 Park Row; Bernard B. Katz, 850 Longwood Avenue, New York.

Increased Capital.

Morgan Steam Laundry Company of New York, from $200,000 to $300,000. Attorney, G. S. Bixby, 52 William Street, New York.

Janes & Kirtland, from $10,000 to $50,000. Attorneys, Redding, Greeley & Austin, 38 Park Row, New York.

Dissolution.

"Tudor." Attorney, Louis J. Rosett, 29 Liberty Street, New York.

WESTERN MARYLAND R. R. CO.

To the STOCKHOLDERS and GENERAL LIEN and CONVERTIBLE BONDHOLDERS:

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for the deposit of stock and bonds has been extended to April 10th, 1908, after which date no securities will be received except on such conditions as the committee may prescribe.

Deposits should be made with the BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, 7 Wall Street, New York City.

New York City, March 31, 1908.

RICHARD SUTRO, Chairman;
WILLIAM F. HARRITY,
EDWARD L. FULLER,
GEORGE CATOR,
FAIRFAX S. LANDSTREET,
WILLIAM S. FANSHAWE,
Committee.

SAMUEL UNTERMYER,
Counsel for Committee.
O. H. SMITH, Secretary,
No. 1 Broadway, New York City.

ERIE ELECTRIC MOTOR COMPANY.

The undersigned, as Trustee under First Refunding Mortgage of the Erie Electric Motor Company to New York Security and Trust Company, dated April 1st, 1901, will receive sealed tenders of bonds for the Sinking Fund of the Erie Electric Motor Company up to three P. M. of the thirteenth day of April, 1908, in an amount sufficient to use the sum of $10,937.36. The Trustee reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY, Trustee,
By F. J. HORNE, Secretary.
New York, March 30th, 1908.

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Travelers' Letters of Credit
Payable throughout the World
The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company,
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TITLE GUARANTEE & TRUST CO.

Statement at Close of Business March 25, 1908

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
City of New York Bonds	$459,975.00	Capital	$4,375,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	3,532,285.68	Surplus	7,625,000.00
Bonds and Mortgages	10,359,344.89	Undivided Profits	435,448.00
Banking Houses, New York, Brooklyn and Jamaica	1,913,938.84	Amount due Depositors	22,669,699.96
Other Real Estate	80,631.84	Certified Checks	124,217.57
Accounts Receivable	192,199.17	Treasurer's Checks	555,351.74
Overdrafts	1,875.06	Reserved for Taxes	80,000.00
Accrued Interest	271,377.77	Accrued Interest	136,239.55
Bills Purchased	2,116,882.46	Accrued Expenses	62,263.67
Time Loans on Collateral	4,381,350.06		
Demand Loans on Collateral	5,473,624.53		
Cash on Hand and in Banks	7,279,735.19		
	$36,063,220.49		$36,063,220.49

176 BROADWAY, MANHATTAN
196 Montague St., connecting with 175 Remsen St., Brooklyn
350 Fulton St., Jamaica 67 Jackson Ave., Long Island City

Houston & Texas Central First Mortgage Bonds

Notice of Bonds Drawn for Payment

The Houston & Texas Central Railroad Company, having in its possession cash proceeds from sales of lands covered by Trust Indenture between Frederick P. Olcott, the Central Trust Company of New York, and the Southern Pacific Company, dated April 1, 1890, which are applicable to the purchase of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad Company's First Mortgage Bonds, secured by such Indenture to an amount sufficient at the price limited in said Trust Indenture to purchase and retire 125 of such bonds, and, it having been found that such bonds cannot be purchased at or below 110 per centum of the par value thereof and accrued interest thereon, there have been drawn by lot, under the provisions of such Trust Indenture Bonds secured thereby bearing the distinguishing numbers hereinafter stated, to be paid for out of such proceeds of such land sales at the said rate of 110 per centum of the par value thereof and accrued interest thereon.

The distinguishing numbers of the bonds so drawn are as follows, viz.:

45	572	1181	1767	2607	3529	4853	5978	6844	7567
59	583	1233	1847	2733	3627	4953	6016	6899	7694
75	594	1297	1858	2839	3664	5031	6040	6955	7808
109	704	1369	1909	2876	4062	5092	6098	7021	7871
133	817	1455	1962	2887	4079	5157	6158	7038	7900
188	844	1495	2118	2947	4309	5280	6230	7111	7967
270	928	1497	2195	3047	4315	5360	6313	7220	8038
274	967	1514	2254	3050	4442	5398	6476	7229	8041
298	982	1561	2282	3148	4451	5429	6512	7265	
340	1009	1692	2323	3427	4649	5499	6519	7401	
426	1052	1693	2517	3457	4662	5773	6557	7425	
450	1131	1694	2572	3462	4690	5888	6707	7510	
544	1156	1740	2580	3505	4783	5976	6822	7512	
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The bonds bearing such distinguishing numbers will be paid for at the rate above mentioned, viz.: 110 per centum and accrued interest, upon presentation thereof, with all unmatured coupons attached thereto, at the office of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad Company, 120 Broadway, New York City.

The bonds so drawn will cease to bear interest from and after sixty days' published notice of such drawing, viz.: from and after the 29th day of May, 1908.

Houston & Texas Central Railroad Company
By R. S. LOVETT, President.
New York, March 30, 1908.

Chicago Great Western Railway Company

Four Per Cent. Debenture Stock

At the request of certain holders the time for deposit of debenture stock with BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, No. 7 Wall Street, has been extended until the close of business on APRIL 6, 1908.

New York, March 19, 1908.

WILLIAM A. READ,
EDWIN M. BULKLEY,
GEORGE P. BUTLER,
FREDERICK H. ECKER,
FREDERICK W. WHITRIDGE,
Committee.

F. E. MOWLE, Secretary,
25 Nassau Street, New York.
JOLINE, LARKIN & RATHBONE,
Counsel.

AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE COMPANY.

111 Broadway, New York, March 25, 1908.

The Board of Directors this day declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS PER CENT. upon the preferred capital stock, payable April 21, 1908, to the preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on April 4, 1908. Checks will be mailed.

Transfer books of the preferred stock will close at 12 M., April 4, 1908, and reopen April 22, 1908. S. T. CALLAWAY, Secretary.

NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE BANK.

New York, N. Y., April 1, 1908.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York Produce Exchange Bank, held this day, a semi-annual dividend of Three Per Cent. and an extra dividend of One Per Cent. was declared, payable April 15th.

Transfer books will be closed from the 7th to the 15th, inclusive.

JOHN R. WOOD, Cashier.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Co.

The transfer books of this company will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 7th, 1908, preparatory to the annual meeting of stockholders to be held May 6th, 1908, and will be reopened Thursday, May 7th, 1908.

CHARLES F. COX, Treasurer.

New York, Chicago & St. Louis R. R. Company.

The transfer books of this company will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 7th, 1908, preparatory to the annual meeting of stockholders to be held May 6th, and will be reopened Thursday, May 7th, 1908.

CHARLES F. COX, Treasurer.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD CO.

The transfer books of this company will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 7th, 1908, preparatory to the annual meeting of stockholders to be held May 7th, and will be reopened Friday, May 8th, 1908.

CHARLES F. COX, Treasurer.

THOMPSON-STARRETT COMPANY,
51 Wall Street, New York.

The Board of Directors of this company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENT. on its Preferred Stock, payable May 15th, 1908, to stockholders of record May 6, 1908.

H. D. BABBITT,
Secretary and Treasurer.

INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY.

A dividend of ONE PER CENT. on the Preferred Stock has been declared, payable April 15th, 1908, to preferred stockholders of record at the close of business at 3 P. M. April 9, 1908. Transfer books will remain open. Checks mailed.

E. W. HYDE, Secretary.

NEW YORK ATHLETIC CLUB.

Coupons of the 2d Mortgage 5% Bonds of the New York Athletic Club, due April 1st, 1908, will be paid at and after maturity on presentation at their office, Central Park South, N. Y. City.

M. S. PAINE, Treasurer.

The Fifth Avenue Branch of The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, 475 Fifth Avenue, near 41st Street. Travelers' Letters of Credit issued or guaranteed. Foreign Money and Express Cheques. Vault Boxes for customers' use.

LINCOLN TRUST COMPANY,
208 Fifth Avenue, New York.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the LINCOLN TRUST COMPANY will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 208 Fifth Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, on Thursday, April 16, 1908, at four o'clock in the afternoon, to consider and vote upon a proposition to reduce the capital stock of this company from its present amount of $1,500,000 consisting of fifteen thousand shares of the par value of $100 each, to the amount of $1,000,000 to consist of ten thousand shares of the par value of $100 each.

This meeting is called for the further purpose of considering and voting upon any other different proposition which may be proposed relating to the reduction of the capital stock to some other amount. **The reduction in the capital will be carried through to and reserved as surplus, thus becoming available for the general corporate purposes of the company.**

Dated New York, March 30, 1908.

FRANK TILFORD,
President.
JOSEPH Z. BRAY,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS. No independent nominations having been made for one or more vacancies to be filled in the Board of Directors of the New York Life Insurance Company at its 1908 election of Directors, and the Superintendent of Insurance having, as required by law, prescribed rules and regulations for conducting and holding said election, therefore, pursuant to said rules and regulations, notice is hereby given that the 1908 election of members of the Board of Directors of the New York Life Insurance Company will be held at the Home Office of the Company, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, in the State of New York, on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1908, the polls to be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and to remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at which time they shall be closed.

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
By JOHN C. McCALL, Secretary.
Dated March 10, 1908.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF ACME UTILITY COMPANY: In compliance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of Acme Utility Company, duly held in accordance with Section 37 of the Stock Corporation Law, a meeting of the stockholders of said Corporation will be held at No. 2 Rector Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, in Room 724, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on April 8th, 1908, for the purpose of voting upon a resolution that the corporation be forthwith dissolved.

FRANK STECKLER,
Secretary of Acme Utility Company.
LEVY & ROSENTHAL, 2 Rector Street, New York City, Attorneys for Acme Utility Company.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY.
ANNUAL MEETING.

120 Broadway, New York, N. Y., Feb. 13, 1908.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company, for the purpose of electing Directors of said Company, and for the transaction of any other business which may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, at Beechmont, Jefferson County, Kentucky, at 11 A. M. standard time, on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1908.

For the purposes of the meeting the books for the transfer of stock (both Preferred and Common) will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. March 18, 1908, and will be reopened at 10 o'clock A. M. April 9, 1908. ALEX. MILLAR, Clerk.

UNION TRUST SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY

No. 425 Fifth Avenue.
New York, April 1st, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Union Trust Safe Deposit Company, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 425 Fifth Avenue, on Friday, April 17th, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon.

Henry M. Myrick, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of ALEXANDER KING & CO., Inc., will be held at the office of the Corporation, 260 West Broadway, New York City, on Thursday, the 9th day of April, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of Directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. G. WYLIE, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Electric Elevator & Milling Company will be held on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at the offices of the company, 202 Produce Exchange, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before this meeting.

YALE KNEELAND, Sec'y.

GLOBE & RUTGERS FIRE INSURANCE Company, 76 William Street, New York, March 31st, 1908.—The Annual Election for Directors of this Company will be held at this office, Tuesday, April 14th, 1908. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon until 1 P. M.

LYMAN CANDEE, Secretary.

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WILLIAM M. HAZELTON, Treasurer.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PHILLIPSE E. N. GREENE and CHICHESTER C. KERR are admitted as general partners in the firm of GUDE, WINMILL & CO., Bankers, having its place of business at No. 20 Broad Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York.

Dated New York, March 31, 1908.

FAIRBANKS FEARS DEMOCRATIC HOUSE

Writes Indiana Convention That Tariff Should Be Revised After Fall Elections.

GETS STATE'S DELEGATES

Tariff Revision, He Says, Must Be Along Protective Lines—His Letter Surprises Washington Republicans.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 1.—Indiana Republicans, in State Convention to-day, formally presented to the country Charles Warren Fairbanks, Vice President of the United States, as their choice for the Presidency, and instructed the thirty Indiana delegates to the National Convention to vote and persistently work for his nomination.

According to the harmonious agreement of the party leaders, Representative Overstreet of Indianapolis was selected for temporary Chairman, Representative J. C. Chaney of Sullivan for permanent Chairman, and for delegates at large to the National Convention United States Senators Albert J. Beveridge and James E. Hemenway, Gov. J. Frank Hanly, and James P. Goodrich of Winchester, Chairman of the State Committee, were agreed upon.

It was agreed by a large majority of the party leaders that the most prominent planks in the platform, in addition to the strong resolution instructing for Vice President Fairbanks, should be one favoring local option with the county as a unit, and the other would follow the advice of Vice President Fairbanks and urge a revision of the tariff by a special session of Congress to be called immediately after the Fall elections.

Other planks include a demand for a law against child labor, written by Senator Beveridge; recommendations for a National Bureau of Mines; for allowing to defendants notice and hearing before injunctions are granted; for National health laws; for currency reform, without naming any particular bill.

The platform also indorses President Roosevelt, waterways improvements, economic administration of National affairs, especially of the army and navy, and prohibiting corporations from contributing to campaign funds.

A letter from Vice President Fairbanks to Representative Overstreet was read. It said in part:

"The sentiment in favor of a revision of the tariff has so far crystallized as to make it reasonably certain that revision will be undertaken at no distant date. It is morally certain that both of the leading political parties will declare in favor of some form of revision in their National platforms. It has been frequently suggested that revision should be undertaken at a special session of Congress to be convened immediately after the inauguration of the next President. A number of Republican State Conventions have already made declarations to this effect.

"The time when revision should be made is second only in importance to revision itself. It is obvious that there is a wrong and a right time to attempt it. It is well understood that revision is attended with more or less business disturbance.

"We should not close our eyes to the fact that there will be a determined effort by the opposition to control the next House of Representatives. If it should succeed a Republican Senate and a Democratic House would be charged with the tremendously important subject of revision. The two branches of Congress would stand for diametrically opposite theories; the one for a protective and the other for a revenue tariff. It is manifest in such an event that the contest would be protracted and the ultimate result a compromise.

"Even if it were certain that the Republican Party would retain control of both branches of Congress, as we believe it will, with an assurance that revision would be effected after the 4th of March, strictly according to the principles of protection, uncertainty and hesitancy would prevail, nevertheless, until the new schedules were enacted into law.

"Revision made immediately following the coming election has this advantage, and it is a distinct advantage, over revision after the incoming of the new Administration. It will reduce the period of disturbance some four months. This is a considerable gain at any time, but it is especially important now.

"Business conditions admonish us to reduce the factors of doubt and uncertainty, so far as possible, and to bring the forces of the business world as speedily as practicable to a condition of certainty and repose. This is the part of wise and patriotic statesmanship. It is good politics, and it is good business also.

"There is one potential fact which must not be obscured, and it is this: When revision occurs, it must be along protective lines. Furthermore, revision must be made by those who are firm in the protective faith, to the end that adequate protection shall be given to American industry, American labor, and American capital. The principles of protection which have given such tremendous impetus to our trade and commerce must be carried into any revision which is undertaken."

FAIRBANKS SPRINGS SURPRISE.

His Declaration for Early Tariff Revision a Move to Beat Taft.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The astonishment among Republicans here at the letter of Vice President Fairbanks coming out for early tariff revision is equaled only by the glee with which the Democrats have received his announcement that they are likely to carry the next House. In all his long record in politics Fairbanks has never made a statement so nearly unequivocal as this pronunciamento in favor of early action on the tariff.

MASSACHUSETTS FAVORS TAFT

Caucus Returns Show That Secretary Has 901 of 1,550 Delegates.

BOSTON, April 1.—A revision to-day of the returns from the Republican caucuses held throughout the State last night showed no material changes in the complexion of the Massachusetts delegation to the National Convention at Chicago, the few variations from the original figures apparently favoring the Presidential aspirations of William H. Taft.

Returns show that of the 1,550 delegates to the State Convention 901 are either pledged to or are favorable to Taft, and 649 are unpledged. If the Taft delegates support the ticket which, it is understood will be offered by that side at the State Convention, the delegates at large will be Lodge, Crane, Bates, and Bigney.

800 BRAVES GOING TO DENVER

Tammany Secretary Leaves for West to Get Accommodations for Delegation.

Thomas F. Smith, Secretary of Tammany Hall, started for Denver last night to arrange for the accommodation of the Tammany delegation at the Democratic National Convention. Eight hundred Tammany braves are scheduled for a war dance in the Rockies early in July.

Besides arranging for hotel accommodations Mr. Smith, who will be gone ten days at least, will see to it that the railroads run excursions to the Yellowstone Park and to the Pacific Coast immediately after the convention. A great many Tammany men have announced their intention of visiting these places at that time, and the Tammany Secretary is commissioned to make the necessary arrangements.

Mr. Smith will stop off at Buffalo today to have a talk with Norman E. Mack. Mr. Mack is a very strong Bryanite, and there was much speculation last night as to why Mr. Smith, as the emissary of Charles F. Murphy, should want to talk with Mr. Mack, in view of the fact that Mr. Murphy is believed to be opposed to the nomination of the Nebraskan.

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ERIE COUNTY INDORSES BRYAN

Delegates Are Instructed to Vote for an Instructed Delegation.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 1.—Democratic conventions were held in all of the Assembly districts of Erie County this afternoon. Delegates were elected to the State Convention to be held in New York on April 14. In all of them resolutions indorsing Bryan were adopted. The resolutions instruct the delegates to vote for a resolution for an instructed delegation to represent New York at the National Convention.

Cattaraugus Instructs for Bryan.

SALAMANCA, N. Y., April 1.—The Cattaraugus County Democratic Convention to-day elected three delegates to the State Convention and instructed them to vote for William J. Bryan.

QUARTERLY FAILURES HEAVY.

An Indication of Some Improvement Is, However, Noted by Dun's Review.

Failures during the first three months of 1908 are the heaviest for this quarter of any year on record, though the figures have been exceeded in the last quarter of 1907 and in other quarters of previous years. According to statistics just compiled by R. G. Dun & Co., total liabilities of $75,706,191 were involved in the 4,909 failures reported since the first of the year.

Dun's finds satisfaction, however, in the statement that the liabilities in March were smaller than in any month since last September, particularly as to suspensions of banks, and there is evidence of distinct improvement in the March liabilities despite the fact that they show an increase of $10,000,000 as compared with the corresponding month last year.

Manufacturing defaults during the first quarter were 1,139 in number, against 676 in the same month last year, while liabilities of $33,256,857 compare with $13,779,057. There were 3,594 trading failures for $31,459,512, against 2,366 in 1907, when the amount involved was $15,526,206.

Other commercial failures were 176 in number and $10,989,822 in amount, against 94 failures for $2,770,328 in the previous year. Banking failures were five times as numerous and involved ten times as much money, 60 institutions closing their doors with liabilities of $69,751,623, against 12 similar failures last year, when the amount involved was $6,985,219. But the same three months also recorded the reopening of many banks.

HUDSON TRUST CO. PLANS.

New Management to Extend Its Influence by Getting In New Blood.

The controlling interest in the Hudson Trust Company, which has its banking rooms on Forty-second Street just east of Times Square, is working on a plan to get new blood into the institution and bring it more prominently into line with the commercial interests of the growing neighborhood.

The Hudson Trust Company is the successor of the United National Bank of New York, and was organized following a plan laid out by O. F. Thomas when he and his associates bought out some of the old United National stockholders little more than a year ago. Like most of the institutions with which the Thomas interests were connected, the trust company suffered because of the disclosures of last Fall, though it came out of the money flurry stronger than ever in cash resources.

O. F. Thomas resigned the Presidency, and E. R. Chapman of the Stock Exchange house of E. R. Chapman & Co. took up the direction of the company's affairs.

One of the first acts of the new management was to reduce the capital from $1,000,000 to $500,000, and turn the $500,000 into surplus, which before that had been $100,000. With a surplus larger than its capital, the Directors decided at a recent meeting that steps should be taken to increase business, and plans are being considered to that end. The question remains open whether the Board of Directors shall be increased from fifteen to twenty-one, or to keep the Directorate the same size and bring in influential commercial interests of the neighborhood through the purchase of the stock of those of the present Directors who have been the least active in building up the company's business.

IRON AND STEEL DULL.

Little New Business Reported and Cuts in Prices Made.

The leading trade authorities have little to report on new business in the last week, and agree that recovery from the Winter's depression is of slow growth.

The Iron Age says:

> The steel trade is quiet and the volume of new business is light. The export trade, which has been steady, has recently reflected also the slackening demand in the leading industrial countries.
>
> The rail mills report no orders of consequence and the additional purchases on the part of the New York Central lines are still pending. In the plate trade, outside of the orders from locomotive builders, there has only been some work for steel pipe.

The Iron Trade Review says:

> Improvement during the past month has been confined almost exclusively to finished products. If the increased activity in these lines should not continue during the present month a considerable increase in the production of other materials will be necessary in order to maintain the present percentage of active capacity of all iron and steel manufacturing concerns.

TREASURY DEFICIT LIKELY.

City Bank Circular Predicts One at the End of the Present Year.

The National City Bank, in its April circular, discussing the position of the Treasury and allied matters, says:

> It seems certain that the fiscal year will end with a deficit. Only three months remain before the year will close, and the excess of expenditures over receipts stands at $36,000,000. Nothing short of a quick and complete return to conditions existing a year ago will serve to overcome this large deficiency. During the last quarter of the fiscal year 1907 the surplus amounted to $35,660,000. It can hardly be expected, now that the course of the revenues is decidedly downward, that April, May, and June of the current year will do even half so well. In fact, it will occasion no surprise if the deficit at the end of the year is larger than is now shown for the nine months already passed.

It is the intention of the Treasury Department, the circular states, to give closer scrutiny hereafter to applications to retire circulation. The City Bank points out that the average circulation of National bank notes during the last three months was $693,000,000, and that the redemptions during this period amounted to 16 per cent. of the total.

Steel Corporation Meeting April 20.

Proxies have been issued for the annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation. The same proxy committee is named as acted at the last annual meeting, consisting of J. P. Morgan, H. C. Frick, E. H. Gary, N. B. Ream, and N. Thayer. It is expected that all the retiring Directors will be re-elected and that the present officers will be chosen for another year. The meeting is to be held April 20.

Car Foundry Earnings Fall Off.

The statement of the American Car and Foundry Company for the quarter ended Jan. 31 showed net earnings of $1,772,201, a decrease of $535,081 compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year. This was a reduction of 23 per cent. Out of the quarter's earnings $825,000 was paid in dividends, and the balance added to surplus. The surplus as of Jan. 31 last was $24,218,452, an increase of $6,236,039.

Morse Steamship Receivers Report.

BOSTON, April 1.—The receivers of the Metropolitan and Eastern Steamship companies, both former Morse lines, reported in the United States District Court here to-day that the operation of the lines should be continued. The report pointed out that by such a course a much greater amount will be realized than by closing up the business and allowing the patronage to be lost.

BRYAN WON'T SPEAK AT DEMOCRATIC CLUB

He Also Turns Down Plan to Have a Rival Meeting Here—Will Talk at Trenton, N. J.

BAD SPLIT IN THE CLUB

Considerable Feeling Over the Situation—Bryan Declines to Address Waldorf Meeting.

William J. Bryan will not attend the Jefferson Day dinner of the National Democratic Club, to be held at the Hotel Knickerbocker on April 13. He reached this decision yesterday, and made arrangements to go to Trenton, N. J., for the day. His action in refusing the invitation that had been extended to him was directly due to the fact that he was not invited to make a speech at the club dinner.

Harry Walker, the chief Bryan boomer of the East, said yesterday he thought Mr. Bryan would speak at the dinner. He also announced he had hired the ballroom at the Waldorf-Astoria for a rival dinner on that night. Mr. H. H. Hughes of Springfield, Mo., he said, had sent to him a check for $1,000 for the expenses.

Mr. Bryan did not fall in with Mr. Walker's views, for later in the day Mr. Walker received a telegram from Mr. Bryan saying that he could not for a moment consider attending a rival dinner to that to be held by the Democratic Club.

There is a lot of trouble in the club over the Bryan affair. It seems that Mr. Bryan has some good friends there who keep him informed as to what is going on. One of these, jubilant over the victory they had won in having him invited at all, telegraphed him in such a way that he understood that he would be expected to speak. Consequently, he announced that he would speak, and mentioned his topic. The dinner committee, however, was largely composed of strong anti-Bryan men, who were determined that he should not speak, and they appear to have won the day.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, April 1.—It was announced by the Democratic members of the Legislature this evening that W. J. Bryan would pay a visit to Trenton on April 13. He will be the guest at a luncheon given by Gov. Fort, and ex-Mayor Katzenbach will preside at a Bryan meeting to celebrate Jefferson Day at the Democratic League in the evening.

WAR ON McCARREN TO GO ON.

"Antis" Say the Real Test of Strength Will Come in Fall Primaries.

While the followers of Senator McCarren were jubilating yesterday over the outcome of Tuesday's primaries in Brooklyn, the anti-McCarren leaders were busy explaining that the actual fight would take place this Fall. The war on McCarren, they asserted, would be kept up all Summer.

McCarren men, however, said that even if the Coler-Shevlin-Flaherty combination holds together it would present no more formidable front in the September primaries.

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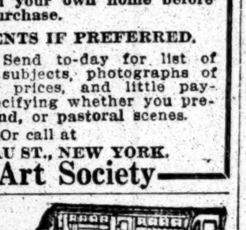

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QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

United States Mortgage and Trust Company

at the close of business on the twenty-fifth day of March, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Bonds and mortgages		$8,807,833.80
Amount of stock and bond investments:		
Public securities, (book value, $2,031,799.80,) market value		2,066,098.00
Other securities, (book value, $3,165,624.65,) market value		3,208,025.45
Amount loaned on collateral		11,958,148.60
Other loans, including bills purchased		220,804.00
Overdrafts		1,575.44
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		5,685,862.76
Specie		861,645.56
United States legal-tender notes and bills of National banks		444,925.00
Cash items, viz.:		
Exchanges and checks for the next day's clearings	$9,075.09	
Other cash items	1,535.59	
		10,610.68
Amount of assets not included under any of the above items, viz.:		
Net accrued interest	$108,723.98	
Foreign exchange	611,160.05	
		719,884.08
Total		$33,949,913.32
Estimated accrued interest not included in "net accrued interest"		254,055.60

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash		$2,000,000.00
*Surplus on market value		4,382,188.03
Surplus on book value, $4,340,489.03.		
Deposits subject to check, (except as stated below,) not preferred	$13,124,058.44	
Certificates of deposit (not preferred): Time	78,840.84	
Certificates of deposit (not preferred): Demand	1,281,851.99	
Amount due trust companies	1,856,006.10	
Amount due banks and bankers	1,899,208.00	
Preferred deposits, viz.:		
Due New York State savings banks	98,506.23	
Due New York State savings and loan associations	542.00	
Due as executor, administrator, guardian, receiver, trustee, committee, or depositary	590,321.64	
Total of preferred deposits, $689,369.87.		
Total deposits		18,878,890.24
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads, viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$708.00	
Certified checks	199,201.29	
Reserved for taxes, etc.	88,925.76	
Mortgage trust bonds	8,400,000.00	
		8,688,835.05
Total		$33,949,913.32
Estimated accrued interest not included in "net accrued interest"		110,162.61

*Surplus includes undivided profits.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

JOHN W. PLATTEN, Vice President, and JOSEPH ADAMS, Assistant Treasurer, of United States Mortgage & Trust Company, located and doing business at No. 55 Cedar Street, 73d St. and Broadway, and 125th St. and Eighth Ave., in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report, with the schedules accompanying the same, is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 689, Laws of 1892,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Superintendent of Banks, designating the twenty-fifth day of March, 1908, as the day of which such report shall be made.

J. W. PLATTEN, Vice President.
JOSEPH ADAMS, Assistant Treasurer.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 31st day of March, 1908, before me.

[Seal of Notary.] G. A. JONES,
Notary Public, New York County, No. 47. Commission expires March 30, 1910. Reg. 517.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF

THE FARMERS LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY

at the close of business on the 25th day of March, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Bonds and mortgages		$4,232,046.00
Amount of stock and bond investments:		
Public securities, (book value $5,580,202.60,) market value		5,533,280.00
Other securities, (book value $15,963,708.69,) market value		16,168,267.00
Amount loaned on collateral		32,663,272.83
Other loans, including bills purchased		2,866,900.00
Real estate: Banking house		1,450,000.00
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		12,444,876.74
Specie		6,082,136.54
United States legal-tender notes and bills of National banks		60,600.00
		$81,001,378.61
Estimated accrued interest not included in "Net accrued interest"		447,549.28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash		$1,000,000.00
Undivided profits on market value		5,946,086.92
Undivided profits on book value, $5,797,451.21.		
Deposits subject to check, (except as stated below,) not preferred	$57,401,168.61	
Certificates of deposit, (not preferred,) time	4,195,542.95	
Amount due trust companies	5,584,959.08	
Amount due banks and bankers	1,471,321.72	
Preferred deposits, viz.:		
Due New York State savings banks	3,188,222.51	
Due as executor, administrator, guardian, receiver, Trustee, committee, or depositary	1,942,915.34	
Total deposits		73,734,130.16
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads, viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$211.75	
Certified checks	320,949.78	
		321,161.53
		$81,001,378.61
Estimated accrued interest not included in "Net accrued interest"		690,039.87

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

EDWIN S. MARSTON, President, and AUGUSTUS V. HEELY, Secretary, of The Farmers Loan and Trust Company, located and doing business at No. 16-22 William St. and 475 Fifth Av., in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report, with the schedules accompanying the same, is true and correct in all respects to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 689, Laws of 1892,) and not elsewhere, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Superintendent of Banks designating the 25th day of March, 1908, as the day of which such report shall be made.

EDWIN S. MARSTON, President.
AUGUSTUS V. HEELY, Secretary.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 31st day of March, 1908, before me.

HERBERT WELLINGTON,
Notary Public, Kings County.

[Seal of Notary.]

Certificate filed in New York County, County Clerk's and Register's office.

FT. MONROE, VA., MARCH 28, 1908.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received until ten A. M., April 30th, 1908, for construction of one Officers' Artillery School and one Enlisted Men's School buildings, including plumbing, heating, electric wiring and fixtures, and electric elevator. Plans and specifications may be seen in offices of Depot Quartermaster, New York, N. Y.; St. Louis, Mo.; Advisory Architect of the Q. M. Department, No. 702 17th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., and Chief Quartermaster, Chicago, Ill. Deposit of certified check for fifty ($50.00) dollars required for guaranty return plans and specifications. Bidders on proposals must state the name of manufacturers supplying them material. Information on application. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. ERNEST R. TILTON, Captain and Constructing Quartermaster.

OFFICE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, Fort Totten, N. Y., March 4, 1908.—Sealed proposals, made in triplicate, for making repairs and alterations to Building No. 34 at Fort Totten, N. Y., to make it suitable for use as a Commissary Storehouse, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock A. M., April 4, 1908, and then publicly opened. Necessary information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposal for Repairs and Alterations to Building 34," and addressed "Charge Constructing Quartermaster, Fort Totten, N. Y."

GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y. H., March 4, 1908.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing Fuel, Forage and Straw, and Mineral Oil, required in Dept. of the East during the year ending June 30, 1909, will be received here until 10 A. M. April 3, 1908. U. S. reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals will be endorsed "Proposals for Fuel, Forage and Straw, and Mineral Oil at—." JNO. W. PULLMAN, A. Q. M. G.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE WILL be received at office of Commissioner of Immigration, Ellis Island, N. Y. H., until 2:30 P. M. April 16th, 1908, and opened immediately thereafter for all labor and materials required for enlarging laundry and other alterations at U. S. Immigrant Station, Ellis Island, N. Y. H., and furnishing certain laundry machinery. Particulars as to limitations and conditions governing bidders may be obtained from Robert Watchorn, Commissioner.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF

THE BRONX BOROUGH BANK

at the close of business on the 25th day of March, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$962,776.76
Overdrafts		893.56
Due from trust companies, banks, bankers, and brokers, not included in next item	$10,357.50	
Due from approved reserve depositories, less amount of offsets	120,140.92	
		130,498.42
Banking house and lot	$32,500.00	
Other real estate	68,868.87	
		101,368.87
Mortgages owned		81,325.00
Stocks and bonds, viz.: Public securities		4,275.00
Other securities		1,500.00
Specie		9,022.22
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		82,545.00
Cash items, viz.: Exchanges and checks for the next day's clearings	$286.21	
Other cash items	2,418.85	
		2,705.06
Assets not included under any of the above heads, viz.: Furniture and fixtures		14,606.70
		$1,391,513.09
Estimated accrued interest not paid nor entered on books at date of this report as an asset		$5,980.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash		$100,000.00
Surplus fund		100,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid		295.78
Due depositors		1,133,524.74
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers		8,867.69
Preferred deposits, viz.:		
Due New York State savings banks	$28,824.88	
Due New York State building and loan associations	None	
Deposits preferred because secured by pledge of a part of bank assets	None	
Deposits otherwise preferred, if any	None	
		28,824.88
Amount payable not included under any of the above heads, viz.:		
Bills payable	$25,000.00	
Bills rediscounted	None	
Unpaid dividends	None	
Reserved for taxes	None	
		25,000.00
		$1,391,513.09
Estimated accrued interest not paid nor entered on books at date of this report as a liability		$2,190.00

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

C. ADELBERT BECKER, President, and JAY LEHRBACH, Cashier, of Bronx Borough Bank, a bank located and doing business at Nos. 440 and 442 Tremont Avenue, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report, with the schedule accompanying the same, is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 689, Laws of 1892, as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Superintendent of Banks designating the twenty-fifth day of March, 1908, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

C. ADELBERT BECKER, President.
JAY LEHRBACH, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 1st day of April, 1908, before me.

JOSEPH H. WITHERELL,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public,
N. Y. Co., No. 548.

METROPOLITAN BANK,

23d St. and Madison Av.
March 25th, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$10,146,108.57
Stocks and bonds	948,267.48
Real estate—banking house	390,000.00
Cash on hand and due from banks	4,884,120.19
	$16,368,496.24

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	1,090,262.60
Reserved for taxes	7,883.13
Dividends unpaid	294.50
Deposits	13,270,056.01
	$16,368,496.24

HENRY OLLESHEIMER, President.
WILLIAM M. PERKINS, Vice Pres.
GILBERT B. SAYRES, Second Vice Pres.
AUGUSTUS C. CORBY, Cashier.
GEORGE L. PEGRAM, Asst. Cashier.
JAMES L. MILLER, Asst. Cashier.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, City of New York.—Notice is hereby given that at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held March 27, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, as amended, has selected and determined certain real estate (as the term "real estate" is defined in the said act) in the Township of Hempstead, County of Nassau, and State of New York, as and for sources of public water supply in and for The City of New York, and deems it necessary to take and acquire the same and all the rights, titles, and interests therein, and to extinguish all claims or damages on account of such rights, titles, and interests or growing out of such taking for the purpose of maintaining, preserving, and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, said lands being required for the purpose of extending the 72-inch steel pipe line from Clear Stream eastwardly to a point near Wantagh.

Whereas, The said Commissioner has prepared and submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under dates of February 19, 1908, and February 27, 1908, seventeen maps showing the said real estate to be taken and acquired as aforesaid, as provided in the said act; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a public notice be given of a hearing to be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York in the old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 24th day of April, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at which time and place a full opportunity shall be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such maps, and the taking and acquisition of the real estate as shown thereon.

Resolved, That such public notice be published in The City Record, in the corporation newspapers, in two papers published in Nassau County, in which county the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in two daily papers published in The City of New York once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to the date of the hearing.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, THIRD Judicial District, Ulster County.—In the matter of the application and petition of J. EDWARD SIMMONS, CHARLES N. CHADWICK, and CHARLES A. SHAW, constituting the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of the City of New York, under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Olive, Ulster County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of the City of New York.—Ashokan Reservoir, Section No. 2, Ulster County.

Public notice is hereby given that the First Separate Report of Alanson Page Smith, Isaiah Fuller, and Reginald W. Rives, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of this court, made at a special term thereof, held at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, April 20th, 1907, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster, on the 21st day of February, 1908, and affects parcels numbers seventy (70), seventy-six (76), seventy-seven (77), fifty-eight (58), fifty-four (54), fifty-nine (59), forty-eight (48), eighty-one (81), forty-five (45), seventy-five (75), fifty-five (55), fifty-seven (57), sixty-seven (67), sixty-eight (68), sixty-four (64), sixty-six (66), seventy-eight (78), forty-seven (47), forty-nine (49), seventy-nine (79), sixty-three (63), fifty-two (52), forty-three (43), sixty-nine (69), fifty (50), shown on the map in this proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a special term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, on the 18th day of April, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, March 23d, 1908.

FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel,
Hall of Records,
New York City.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in The City Record of March 27 to April 10, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

13TH WARD, SECTION 2. ATTORNEY STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALK in front of Nos. 54 to 58. 12TH WARD, SECTION 8. WEST 163D STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, AND FLAGGING, between Broadway and Ft. Washington Avenue. POST AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PLACING BRIDGESTONE, GUARDRAIL, DRAINPIPE, AND CONSTRUCTING RETAINING WALL, between Dyckman Street and 10th Avenue.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, March 26, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing coal (Contracts 1,128 and 1,129) and for sprinkling marginal street (Contract 1,130) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, April 9, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for dredging on the North River (Contract 1,115) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 14, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing coal (Contract 1,124) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon on Friday, April 10, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

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FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE ED. LOWY, Auctioneer, Sells Friday, April 3d, 1908, 11:30 A. M., at 535-537 West 56th St., The right, title, and interest of a large Laundry, Horses, Wagons, Harness, all Machinery, Belting, Pulleys, Presses, &c. By order of M. F. Mulvihill, City Marshal. Office, 149 East 121st St. Auct's office, 15 East 116th. Tel. 5342 Harlem.

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AT A SPECIAL TERM, PART I., OF THE Supreme Court of the State of New York, held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 24th day of March, 1908.—Present: Hon. Peter A. Hendrick, Justice.—In the matter of the application of the YVETTE TRADING COMPANY for authority to change its name to THE YVETTE HAIR GOODS COMPANY.

Upon reading and filing the notice, dated February 27th, 1908, the petition of The Yvette Trading Company, a domestic stock corporation, duly verified the 26th day of February, 1908, by Henry Salomons, its President, wherein said petitioner prays for an order authorizing it to assume another corporate name, to wit, the name of THE YVETTE HAIR GOODS COMPANY, and upon filing the certificate of the Secretary of State, certifying that the name which such corporation proposes to assume is not the name of any other domestic corporation or a name which he deems so nearly resembling it as to be calculated to deceive, and upon filing due proof by affidavits showing that notice of the presentation of said petition has been duly published for three weeks in The New York Law Journal and The New York Times, two daily newspapers of the County of New York, in which county such corporation has its business office, and the court being satisfied by said petition and by the affidavits and certificate presented therewith that the petition is true, and that the petition has been duly authorized, and that notice of the presentation of the petition as required by law has been made;

Now, on motion of Michael H. Harris, attorney for the petitioner, no one opposing, it is

Ordered, That said petition be, and the same hereby is, granted, and that the petitioner herein, The Yvette Trading Company, be, and it hereby is, authorized to assume another corporate name, to wit, THE YVETTE HAIR GOODS COMPANY, on and after the 30th day of April, 1908, and it is hereby further ordered and directed that this order be entered and the papers on which it is granted be filed within ten days from the date hereof in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, the county in which the certificate of incorporation of said corporation is filed, and that a certified copy of this order, within ten days after the entry thereof, be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and, further, that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The New York Law Journal, a newspaper in the County of New York, beginning within ten days after the entry hereof. Enter. P. A. H., J. S. C.

CITY, COUNTY AND STATE OF NEW YORK, ss.:

The McDERMOTT DAIRY COMPANY, a corporation, duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, hereby certifies that it is engaged in bottling and selling milk and cream in bottles and boxes, with its name, names, marks and devices which it uses and has the sole right to use stamped, branded, engraved, etched, blown, impressed and otherwise produced thereon.

That said name, names, marks and devices are as follows, to wit:

On some of said bottles two diamond shaped figures, one within the other, with the letters "M. B. D." within the inner of such figures and the words "McDermott Bunger Dairy Company" without the inner and within the outer of said figures; on others of said bottles two diamond shaped figures one within the other, with the letters "M. B. D." within the inner of said figures and the words "McDermott Dairy Company" about the inner and within the outer of said figures; on others of said bottles, and on some of said boxes, two concentric circles, within the inner of which is drawn a diamond or square, the corners of which touch such inner circle, within which diamond or square are the letters "McD. D. Co." and between the inner and outer of said circles are the words "McDermott Dairy Company"; on others of said boxes the words "McDermott Dairy Company," and below the same the words "New York City."

That its principal place of business is in the City, County and State of New York.

In witness whereof the said McDermott Dairy Company has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and this certificate to be subscribed with its corporate name by Francis McDermott, its President.

[L. S.]

McDERMOTT DAIRY COMPANY,
By FRANCIS McDERMOTT,
President.

Attest—JAS. S. WARD,
Sec'y.

AT A SPECIAL TERM OF THE SUPREME Court, Part II., held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court House thereof, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1908. Present: Hon. James A. O'Gorman, Justice.

In the matter of the application of FREDERICK NAPRSTEK for permission to change his name to FREDERICK NAPRSTEK THIMBLE.

Upon reading and filing the annexed petition of Frederick Naprstek, verified March 20th, 1908, and the affidavit of Jacob Friedman, his attorney, verified the 27th day of March, 1908, wherein it is prayed that leave be granted to the said Frederick Naprstek to assume the name of Frederick Naprstek Thimble in place of his present name, and on motion of said Jacob Friedman, attorney for said petitioner, and the court being satisfied by said petition and affidavit that there is no reasonable objection to the petitioner assuming the name proposed, it is hereby

Ordered that the said Frederick Naprstek be and he hereby is authorized to assume the said name of Frederick Naprstek Thimble in place of his present name of Naprstek on the 29th day of April, 1908, upon his complying with the provision of Section 2,414 of the Code of Civil Procedure, viz.: That he cause a copy of this order to be published once within ten days after this order is made in The New York Times, a newspaper published in the County of New York, and that within ten days after the making of this order he cause it to be entered and the papers upon which it was granted and an affidavit of the publication thereof as above directed to be filed and recorded in the County Clerk's Office of the said County of New York, and that after the said requirements are complied with the said petitioner must on and after the said 29th day of April, 1908, be known by the name which he is hereby authorized to assume, and by no other name. Enter.

J. A. O'GORMAN, J. S. C.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME Court, signed by his Honor Justice James A. O'Gorman, one of the Judges of said Court, and entered in the office of the County Clerk of the County of New York on the 30th day of March, 1908, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GIRARD N. WHITNEY, residing at No. 116 Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and against WHITNEY & KITCHEN, a copartnership composed of Girard N. Whitney and James V. Geraghty, lately doing business at No. 1 Nassau Street, in the same city, to present the same, with the vouchers thereof, duly verified, to the subscriber, Bayard L. Peck, who has been duly appointed assignee of the said Girard N. Whitney for the benefit of the creditors of the said Girard N. Whitney and of the said copartnership of Whitney & Kitchen, at his office, No. 20 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on or before the 22d day of June, 1908.

Dated New York, April 2, 1908.

BAYARD L. PECK,
Assignee of Girard N. Whitney.

BURKE & FAY, Attorneys for Assignee, No. 44 Pine Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

FOURTH AVENUE AUCTION ROOMS (Incorporated.) BY J. HATFIELD MORTON, AUCTIONEER, Will sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 2D. AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., on the premises 139 WEST 86TH ST. THE FORMER RESIDENCE OF MR. JOSEPH B. HUGHES

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Albany, March 24, 1908.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at his office in the Capitol in Albany, N. Y., until twelve o'clock noon of Tuesday, April 21st, 1908, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read, for improving the New York State canals, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 147 of the Laws of 1903, and of the amendments thereto as follows:

1.
CONTRACT NO. 20.
Erie Canal. Sections 2 and 3.

For dredging a channel in the Mohawk River and performing work incidental thereto between Rexford Flats and Mindenville. Length, 58.7 miles. Sheets 1 to 136 inclusive.

2.
CONTRACT NO. 45.
Erie Canal. Section 6.

For the construction of a dam in the Oneida River at Caughdency and of Lock No. 24 and appertaining structures at Baldwinsville. Length, 0.55 miles. Sheets 1 to 54 inclusive.

3.
CONTRACT NO. 64.
Erie Canal, Section 10.

For the improvement of the Erie Canal from west end of Contract No. 9 to 100 feet east of Gasport Bridge, excepting the Oak Orchard Creek crossing. Length, 10.988 miles. Sheets 1 to 68 inclusive.

Plans may be seen and detailed specifications, engineer's estimate of quantities, proposal blanks, form of contract and bonds required and other information for proposers may be had at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works at Albany, N. Y.; at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works for the Middle Division at Syracuse, N. Y.; at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works for the Western Division at Rochester, N. Y., and at the canal office, Spaulding's Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y. Copies of detailed plans or drawings may be obtained from the State Engineer and Surveyor at Albany, N. Y., upon payment of the cost of producing them.

Monthly estimates will be paid of ninety per centum (90%) of the work done at the contract price. Every proposal for said work must be accompanied by a money deposit in the form of a draft or certified check upon some good banking institution in the City of Albany or New York, issued by a National or State bank in good credit within the State, and payable at sight to the Superintendent of Public Works for five per centum (5%) of the amount of the proposal.

The person whose proposal shall be accepted will be required to execute a contract and furnish bonds within ten days from the date of notice of award, delivered to him or them in person or mailed to the address given in the proposal. Upon execution of the contract and approval of bonds the deposit will be returned to the proposer. The deposits of bidders other than the one to whom the award of contract shall be made will be returned immediately after the award has been made. The amount of bond required for faithful performance will be twenty-five per centum (25%) of the amount of the estimated cost of the work according to the contract price, and an additional bond, known as the labor bond, in the sum of ten per centum (10%) of the amount of the estimated cost of the work, according to the contract price, will be required as security that the contractor will pay in full at least once in each month all laborers employed by him upon the work specified to be done in the contract.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Superintendent of Public Works, Albany, N. Y., and must be indorsed on the envelope with the name of the construction for which the proposal is made.

Award, if made, will be made to the person or persons whose proposal shall be lowest in cost to the State for doing the work, and which shall comply with all provisions required to render it formal. Before any award shall be made the lowest bidder will be required to satisfy the Superintendent of Public Works of his ability to provide suitable equipment and materials for the proper performance of the work.

The right is reserved to reject all proposals and readvertise and award the contract in the regular manner if in the judgment of the undersigned the interests of the State will be enhanced thereby.

F. C. STEVENS,
Superintendent of Public Works.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE AND STRAW.—Chief Quartermaster's Office, Atlanta, Ga., April 1, 1908. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received here until 11:00 A. M., May 1, 1908, for furnishing corn, oats, bran, hay, and straw during July, August, and September, 1908, at Atlanta, Ga.; Forts Barrancas, Dade, De Soto, and Key West Barracks, Fla.; Fort Caswell, N. C.; Forts Fremont and Moultrie, S. C.; Forts McPherson, Oglethorpe, and Screven, Ga.; Fort Morgan, Ala., and Jackson Barracks, La. Information furnished on application here, or to Quartermasters at stations named. U. S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. SAM. R. JONES, Lt. Col. & Chief Quartermaster.

BUILDING.—OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING Quartermaster, Fort Hamilton, N. Y., March 30, 1908.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock A. M., April 30, 1908, for constructing a workshop building. Full information furnished on application. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Workshop, to be opened April 30, 1908," and addressed to Constructing Quartermaster, at Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, N. Y.

COURT CALENDARS

FEDERAL COURTS.

Calendar for Thursday, April 2.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Adams, J.—Opens in Room 66, Post Office Building, at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty. 20—U S-S S Kroonland.

STATE COURTS.

Court of Appeals Calendar.

ALBANY, April 1.—The Court of Appeals will resume to-morrow on the general calendar, having devoted the past three days to appeals from orders. Calendar for to-morrow: Nos. 484, 477, 468, 452, 461, 10, 14, 15.

Calendars for Thursday, April 2.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division. Recess.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Term—For the hearing of appeals from the City Court and Municipal Court. Recess.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part I.—Hendrick, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Litigated motions. 1—Hebner-Hebner. 2—Seplitzky-Frank. 3—Macht-Steurman. 4—Mayor, &c-Met Ferry Co. 5—In re Meyer-Denker-Hoerig Co. 6—In re Hutchins. 7—Grant-Greene. 8—Schier-Schier. 9—In re Brown. 10—In re Duffey. 11—People, &c-Clark. 12—Moeser-Mechanics Bk of Bklyn. 13—City of N Y-Rushmore. 14—Drowne-Drowne. 15—Folger-Hills Bros Co. 16—Picobia-Tompkins. 17—Legal Aid Socy-Wage Earners Legal Aid Assn. 18—Smythe-Cleary. 19—Hillery-Palladino. 20—Streat-Wolf. 21—Davidyan-Kashishian. 22—In re Nussbaum. 23—Wridgway-Fleming. 24—In re Northfield Realty Co. 25—Delaney-Wallace. 26—Wall-Garrison. 27—Fredericks-Fredericks. 28—Cowperthwait-Reagan. 29—Realty Operating Co-Banhan R Co. 30—In re Moore. 31—Brewster-F G Brewster Co. 32—Holl-Bldrs Const Co. 33—Gorlitzer-Wolfberg. 34—Bradley-Sweeney. 35—In re Reilly. 36—Schlesinger-Cohen. 37—Same-Romm. 38—Same-same. 39—Paul-Paul. 40—Riggs-Drake. 41—Ditollo-Erie R. R. 42—Logan-Logan. 43—Lancaster Trust Co-Sprague. 44—Young Bros-Young. 45—Berkeley-Larney. 46—Hillery-Palladino. 47—Monaco-Italian-Amer Co. 48—Conlon-Kelly. 49—City of N Y-Lee. 50—Wyckoff-Williams. 51—Zentgraff-Dejonge. 52—Wolfson-Simon. 53—Malcom-Gibson. 54—Peabody-Peabody. 55—Londun-Mitchell. 56—Moeser-Mechanics Bk of Bklyn. 57—Same-same. 58—Johnson-Victoria Chief Copper Mining Co. 59—In re Mion. 60—Fehlinger-Boos. 61—Perceval-Hudson Co. 62—Flaherty-14th St Store. 63—McDonnell-Rose. 64—Amer West Indies T Co-Porto Rico Amer Cigar Co. 65—Foye-Fox Co. 66—Rickert-Finlay Realty Co. 67—Tobin-Bell & Fyfe Foundry Co. 68—In re Riverside Drive. 69—In re same. 70—Salvini-Salvini Auto H & T Co. 71—Realty Operating Co-New Const Co. 72—Whitcomb-Burr. 73—Dessar-Ehrich. 74—Fiacarini-Goldsmith. 75—Altieri-Rumore. 76—Morgan-Tannenbaum. 77—In re Edward Ney Co. 78—Wallace-Pritchard. 79—Goddard-Amer Peroxide Chem Co. 80—Zink-Zink. 81—Wolf-Goodman. 82—Walsh-Walsh. 83—Kenny-Knick Bread & Yeast Co. 84—Moer-Prov Sav Life Assur Socy. 85—Amer Genl Eng Co-Remelius. 86—Wilson-Puritan S S Co. 87—Kelly-Donnegan. 88—Tenement House Dept-Cohn.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—O'Gorman, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Parts III., IV., V., and VI.—Adjourned for the term.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Parts II., III., IV., V., VI., VII., VIII., IX., X., XI., XII., XIII., XIV., XV., XVI., XVII., and XVIII.—Adjourned for the term.

SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers — Thomas, S.—Held in Room 8, Hall of Records Building, fifth floor. Wills for probate at 10:30 A. M. Thomas Rogers, Eugenie D. Cook, Henry Goos, Hannah C. Doran, Nanny R. Franhauf, Elizabeth Brown, Isaac Halsey, Georgianna H. Andrews, Betty Leventritt, Charlotte S. Thomas, Mina L. Ruger. At 2:30 P. M.: Michael A. Quinlan.

SURROGATES' COURT—Trial Term.—Beckett, S.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Held in Surrogates' Court, Trial Term, fifth floor, in the Hall of Records Building. No day calendar.

CITY COURT—Special Term—Conlan, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Motions must be made returnable at 10:30 A. M. The motion calendar will be called at 10:30 A. M. and defaults allowed at that time.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Parts I. to VIII. Adjourned for the term.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part I.—Foster, J.—Assistant District Attorneys Marshall and Gonterman for the People. Opens at 10:30 A. M. 1—Robert Russell, George H. Farrell. 2—Florence Wood. 3—Frank Miller. 4—John Mahoney. 5—Thomas O'Brien. 6—Frank McGuinness. 7—David Joseph McNabb. 8—John Kadschovsky, Annie Miller. Pleadings: 1—Alfred Helmers. 2—Harry Merifield. 3—James Mobila. 4—Giuseppe Lebri. 5—Charles Wilson. 6—Frank Smith. 7—John McDonald, John Clark. 8—Samuel Klein. 9—Antonio Minicucci. 10—Stephen M. Callahan. 11—William H. Walker, (2.) 12—Alexander Conried. 13—Joseph Patrisiso. 14—John J. Baumiester. 15—Flora Whiston.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Parts II., III., and IV.—Adjourned for the term.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part V.—Adjourned until April 6.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—Ella M. A. Stevens vs. Episcopal Church History Co.—Robert P. Stephenson.

CITY COURT—Conlan, J.—Frederick St. John and Alfred J. Tally vs. Patrick H. Bird—George M. Boynton.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—O'Gorman, J.—McGovern vs. Cohen—Charles T. Terry. McCormack vs. Brindley—Philip J. Britt. In re Laco—Cornelius J. Sullivan. Currie vs. O'Sullivan—Sampson Weinhandler. Vanderbilt vs. Vanderbilt—David McClure.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—In re Heator—John Reilly. Martin vs. Lefkowitz—Michael J. Kelly. Guggenheimer vs. Buge—Edward Browne. Dall vs. Breen—Patrick J. Dobson. Vien vs. Vohdin—Charles W. Ridgway. Patterson vs. Freedman—Cambridge Livingston.

Westchester County.

COUNTY COURT—Day Calendar—Platt, C. J.—People-Joseph Maloney. Same-Francesco Arcuri. Same-Eugene Kennedy. Same—Daniel Keogh.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

AMERICAN GAS FIXTURE COMPANY.—Deputy Sheriff Porges yesterday sold out the assets of the American Gas Fixture Company at 24 Stone Street, under an execution of $1,127 in favor of W. G. Pigueron, and realized $238. The sale included part of the office furniture and safe. The safe was opened by an expert before the sale and only a few books were found in it. The company was incorporated Sept. 27, 1906, with a capital stock of $500,000.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH HISTORY COMPANY.—Judge Hendrick of the Supreme Court has appointed Robert P. Stephenson receiver for the Episcopal Church History Company on application of Ella M. A. Stevens, as executrix of the estate of the Rev. Dr. Charles Ellis Stevens, on a judgment obtained against the company on Jan. 23, 1908, for $6,740, which was returned unsatisfied. The judgment was for the services of the Rev. Dr. Stevens, who compiled a history for the company. The company has been out of business for over a year and has paid all its debts but this judgment. It has no assets, except unpaid stock subscriptions. The bond of the receiver is $10,000.

ALEXANDER BROTHERS.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Alexander Brothers, wholesale tobacco dealers, 212 Pearl Street, show liabilities, $28,348; nominal assets, $41,027, and actual assets, $4,614. The assets consist of stock, $2,000; cash, $39; notes, $172, and good accounts, $2,403. In the nominal assets are $36,413 accounts which are doubtful or worthless. Among the creditors are Hanna Stephens, $6,100; Weil & Co., $5,500; Morris Waterman, $4,400; David Alexander, $3,800, and Joseph Mayers's Sons, $2,189.

Attachments.

Sheriff Foley has received an attachment against the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company for $25,000 in favor of Thomas S. Watts, which was granted by Judge Marean of Brooklyn on the ground that it is a foreign corporation. It was served on the Chase National Bank.

Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Auerbach, Maxine A.—Beatrice G. Auerbach, costs, $173.
Bellanger, A. P. A., P. V. L., and Marcel—P. Rushne et al., costs, $24.
Brauer, M.—Rosa Amster, $75.
Balim, G.—C. L. Fisher Lumber Co., $480.
Blau, M.—J. McLaughlin, $130.
Brink, A. D.— G. Babcock, $93.
Borgenski, L. J.—E. Haertel, $207.
Bourquin, D. C.—S. R. Lash, $261.
Buffum, C. W.—C. Weisbecker, $63.
Baltagitini, A.—Int. R. Transit Co., costs, $77.
Barker, F. W.—Catherine Kennedy, $503.
Beck, Alice M., (not summoned,) and R. W.—Fleischman Floral Co., $16.
Beck, G.—H. Vossnack, Jr., et al., $539.
Burnett, W. E.—J. B. Wear et al., $214.
Berg, H.—O. Bannon Corp., $3,066.
Burke, M. J.—Congress Brewing Co., $161.
Comman, N., (not summoned)—E. M. Houghtaling et al., $277.
Cohn, L.—J. Tim, $426.
Cole, G. W., (not summoned)—J. L. Rodgers, $12.
Conrey, W. F.—J. Wanamaker, $491.
Cotter, J. L.—M. Fink, $191.
Cogswell, W.—C. Knox, $137.
Cummings, W. H.—Brooklyn Heights R R. Co., $194.
Chase, C., (not summoned)—O. J. Boessneck et al., $479.
Croner, W.—J. Wodiska, $120.
D'Arpa, Oresto and Catherine, (not summoned,) and Rosario—D. Mangano, $72.
Dun, F. G.—J. I. Wiener, $109.
Donnelly, J. J.—L. Gilliams et al., $83.
Damsky, A.—C. Dochtermann et al., costs, $68.
Davis, B.—S. Phillipson & Co., $86.
Dubanewicz, W.—Erie R. R. Co., costs, $14.
Dunn, J. A.—Gillette Sales Co., $214.
Daly, M.—Yates-Smith Co., $91.
Eubank, H.—Electric Storage Battery Co., $178.
Etteison, J.—Morris Kohn, $194.
Etkin, L.—D. Fichman, $142.
Eaton, Louise J.—B. A. Buge, $187.
Feldman, F.—M. Jurist et al., $229.
Feingold, Max—J. Stern et al., $75.
Fishgrund, S.—I. Bleich, $25.
Firestone, Rosie—New Amsterdam Casualty Co., costs $69.
Fajen, Annie—A. C. Dodge, $29.
Feeder, B.—Zimmern & Levi, $1,103.
Fuchs, Michael and Gertrude—J. Schaeffler et al., costs, $174.
Gorman, J. L.—J. L. Rodgers, $12.
Garcia, Juan—W. R. H. Martin et al., $267.
Goldsmith, Max—Meyer Kaplan, $85.
Goldfinger, B.—C. A. Gumpert, $47.
Grissler, L.—P. Tarnofker, $419.
Gardner, P. S.—S. G. Sapplee, $71.
Gordon, Adeline—N. Y. City Ry. Co., costs, $70.
Goldstein, J. H.—R. Yerman et al., $112.
Ghazal, Selein—George Shagoori, $462.
Same—Same, $476.
Grossman, N.—Max Jurist et al., $230.
Gillespie, Margaret—N. Y. City Ry. Co., costs, $67.
Henderson, Wm. J.—Michael Hallanan, $95.
Hickey, Rebecca—J. M. Hickey, costs, $111.
Hatfield, Morton J.—T. Sholton et al., $286.
Hanson, Charles—Wm. Avanza, $2,081.
Haber, J.—J. Mayerhoff et al., $36.
Han, Louis—J. Freedman et al., $69.
Jerger, Clara S.—Ida A. Currier, $356.
Jones, Lena R.—N. Y. Edison Co., $68.
Jacobson, Bernard—S. Fry et al., $47.
Jeffrey, Robert G.—Universal Business Institute, costs, $24.
Jaffe, Joel—Samuel Saltzman, $59.
Johnson, Richard L.—H. P. Scanlon, $90.
Klein, I.—A. Weinstein, $158.
Kennedy, A.—E. M. Houghtaling et al., $277.
Kehrer, H.—Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Co., $97.
Kaplan, M.—Met. St. Ry. Co., costs, $67.
Kull, A. L.—Chelsea Exchange Bank, $1,047.
Laitman, L.—W. N. Hennessey, $288.
Levine, Bessie—M. Jurist et al., $230.
Lancet, D.—J. H. Meyer et al., $21.
Leffler, B.—Twelfth Ward Bank of the City of New York, $114.
Lemon, G. F.—Same, $88.
Lemon, G. F. and C. H.—Same, $181.
Lamura, F. (not summoned)—G. Saggese, $277.
Lehrer, S.—Inter. R. T. Co., costs, $68.
Malow, S.—Diehl Mfg. Co., $149.
Marier, G.—B. Solomon, $208.
Manchester, G. R.—Mfrs. Commercial Co., $22,072.
Margolio, M.—A. Gullberg et al., $40.
Miller, N. and J.—M. Rappaport, $222.
Milk, J. R.—Chelsea Exchange Bank, $1,047.
Macaulay, H. de B.—J. Wanamaker, $243.
Mahoney, W., (not summoned)—W. Keck, $53.
Manahan, J. A.—Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co., $150.
Moritz, J.—J. Schlossberg, $134.
Mulhare, F. J.—Congress Brewing Co., Ltd., $161.
McCarthy, Margaret M.—Wm. H. Bormann, $89.
Meyer, Carry—L. Rabinowitz, $191.
Nelson, E.—W. Haaker Co., $50.
O'Reilly, D.—B. Solomon, $131.
Osk, B.—Robinson Stoneware Co., $43.
Parker, J. J.—Bennett, Sloan & Co., $183.
Papas, L.—J. Friedman et al., $35.
Repetzky, P.—W. N. Hennessey, $288.
Rockmore, D. W.—Appeal Printing Co., $104.
Rod, B. W.—Central Foundry Co., $3,270.
Rowan, M.—F. Westheimer et al., $347.
Rosman, J.—L. Rosenzweig, $29.
Rogel, I.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $73.
Rich, Rose T.—J. Wanamaker, $46.
Robinson, M. W.—B. Solomon et al., $74.
Rosen, H.—O. J. Boessneck et al., $479.
Skinner, S. P.—F. A. Hall, $106.
Sullivan, C.—W. Keck, $53.
Shepard, A. L.—Globe Ticket Co., $86.
Sears, Anna W.—L. Adams, $76.
Silverman, M.—Twelfth Ward Bank of the City of N. Y., $221.
Siron, R.—M. Kohn, $194.
Swift, H. W.—J. Wanamaker, $551.
Schwartz, A.—A. E. Levy, $84.
Schewak, J. E., Jr.—J. Gutenflan, $12.
Sandt, W. H.—Marie Antoinette Hotel Co., $721.
Schnackenberg, H. A.—T. Humphrey, $78.
Soners, J. E.—S. Cupples Envelope Co., $48.
Sternberger, L.—Birdie S. Sternberger, costs, $264.
Stange, C.—S. L. Reiss, $61.
Spivack, M.—Interurban St. Ry. Co., costs, $67.
Thomson, Mary—E. P. Lasher, $2,827.
Wilson, N.—F. J. Dahlmeyer, $140.
Wesser, A.—D. Nadelson, $36.
Wallenstein L.—L. Herman et al., $151.
Woerner, C. F.—S. P. Jones, $199.
Wilson, A. S.—S. Kaplan, $533.
Wagner, E.—H. Vossnack, Jr., et al., $539.
Woop, W. (not summoned)—J. L. Rodgers, $12.
Yokel, Adolph and Antonio—A. Prince, $386.
Water Front Improvement Co.—Am. Bonding Co. of Baltimore, $151.
White Fireproofing Construction Co. and Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland—Alexander M. Stewart et al., $833.
The City of New York—C. L. Smith Co., $825.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Margaret McArdle, $50.
Helm-Campbell Co., Ltd.—P. K. Ungernach, $121.
Chadwick-Rogstad Co.—Pelly Dry Dock Co., $214.
A. L. Kull Automobile Co.—Chelsea Exchange Bank, $1,047.
Pucci Contracting Co.—G. Saggere, $277.
De Beck Plate Glass Co.—G. B. Wills et al., $347.
Buster Brown Stocking Co.—F. A. Watson et al., $1,724.
Meers Artificial Leather Co.—The O. Bannon Corporation, $3,066.

Satisfied Judgments.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed:

Corduke, Daniel J.—D. Daly, Jan. 2, 1908, $273.
Klein, L.—M. F. Finkelstein, Jan. 15, 1908, $98.
McLaughlin, G. J.—R. M. Beckerstaff, March 25, 1908, vacated, $246.
Macsoud, E. J. & J. H.—R. J. Peterson, Nov. 6, 1905, $87.
Same—Same, May 24, 1905, $988.
Manony, R. J.—W. B. Gerard, Jan. 7, 1898, $595.
Rockaway Automobile Co.—H. H. Gibbs, Jan. 6, 1908, $423.
Am. Ice Co.—M. Barry, March 4, 1908, $655.
Kosower, Abraham—J. Rothman, Jan. 13, 1906, reversed, $1,658.
Keeshan, Irene M.—P. A. Lewine, March 13, 1908, $136.
West, A. C.—H. Smith, March 11, 1908, $494.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Dross, Composed of Tin and Lead, Held to be Dutiable.

It was decided yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers that dross composed of tin and lead is not entitled to free entry as "black oxide of tin," or "grain tin," but is dutiable as "metals unwrought, not specially provided for," at the rate of 45 per cent. ad valorem.

In overruling the protest filed by Kahn Brothers of New York, the board refers to previous decisions having a bearing on the case at issue, and points out that there appears to be no reason to extend the court's ruling, holding 38.39 per cent. of lead as controlling. General Appraiser Fischer, who writes the decision for the board, says that tin dross contains no lead and is composed of metallic tin. The plea is made in all of the papers that the merchandise should be returned free of duty under the provisions in the tariff for "black oxide of tin, or grain, or granulated tin."

Judge Fischer holds that the importer failed to make the correct claim, and on this account the protest is overruled.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Capt. B. O. Lenoir, Signal Corps, to Pompton Lakes, N. J., to inspect material.

Capt. H. W. Schull, Ordnance, to Richmond, Va., to inspect material.

Major William S. Pierce, Ordnance, to Reading, Penn., to inspect material.

Capt. B. M. Koehler, Coast Artillery, to Fort Slocum, thence to New York City as recruiting officer.

Major William L. Kenley, Field Artillery, will relieve Lieut. Col. C. H. Watts, Ninth Cavalry, of his recruiting duties at Brooklyn. Lieut. Col. Watts will join his regiment in the Philippines.

First Lieut. A. A. Parker, Twenty-fourth Infantry, to Fort Slocum to relieve Capt. E. Bell, Eighth Infantry, of recruiting duty at that post. Capt. Bell will join his regiment.

Major W. E. Ellis, Coast Artillery, to Fort Terry for duty in command of that post.

Capt. H. J. Hatch, Coast Artillery, to Frankford Arsenal to consult ordnance officers as to construction of fire control apparatus.

Major William Lassiter, Third Field Artillery, to office of Inspector General for temporary duty.

Major F. Perkins, Thirteenth Infantry, is detailed to fill a vacancy in the Adjutant General's department and will proceed to Governors Island for duty.

Major C. R. Noyes, Adjutant General, will join the Ninth Infantry.

Major C. W. Kennedy, Adjutant General, to the Department of the Missouri for duty as Adjutant General of that department.

The Navy.

Commander A. Gleaves to command the St. Louis.

Lieut. Commander C. A. Brand granted sick leave of three months.

Lieut. R. Williams to hospital at Hot Springs for treatment.

Lieut. C. S. Bookwalter to home and wait orders.

Lieut. D. T. Ghent to command the Goldsborough.

Lieut. C. F. Brillhart to the Rowan.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Caesar, at Bradford, R. I.; Yorktown, at Mare Island; Denver, at Hongkong; New Hampshire, at navy yard, New York; Mayflower, at New Orleans.

Sailed—Connecticut, from Magdalena Bay for San Diego; Nero, from League Island for Bradford, R. I.

Arrival of Buyers

Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Johnson, Boyd & Co., Baltimore, Md.; L. Lewis, notions, hosiery, and underwear; Hotel Netherland.
Boston Store, Glens Falls, N. Y.; C. M. Marsh, cloaks and millinery; 82 White Street; Hotel Cumberland.
Arbuthnot-Stephenson Company, Pittsburg, Penn.; R. L. Thompson, domestics; 95 Franklin Street; Hotel Brostell.
Armstrong, Cator & Co., Baltimore, Md.; G. H. Lauten, millinery; 621 Broadway.
White, R. H., Company, Boston, Mass.; G. H. Noyes, millinery; 320 Church Street.
Ward, M., & Co., Chicago, Ill.; J. W. Hawkins, hosiery and underwear; 48 Leonard Street.
Halle Brothers Company, Cleveland, Ohio; F. L. Carter, laces and white goods; 81 Union Square.
Root & McBride Company, Cleveland, Ohio; F. H. Theis, silks; 72 Leonard Street.
Steiger-Dudgeon Company, New Bedford, Mass.; J. P. Denton, domestics; Hotel Imperial.
Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Company, St. Louis, Mo.; S. Black, hats; 621 Broadway.
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago, Ill.; Miss M. Black, ladies' neckwear and veilings; 115 Worth Street; Hotel Grand.
Malley, E., Company, New Haven, Conn.; J. Oglivie, furnishing goods, hosiery, and gloves; 320 Church Street.
Oppenheim, Oberndorf & Co., Baltimore, Md.; E. Oppenheim, piece goods; Hotel Imperial.
Hengerer, William, Company, Buffalo, N. Y.; Miss E. Spillane, misses' wear; 214 Church Street.
Hutzler Brothers, Baltimore, Md.; L. S. Hutzler, laces, trimmings, and ladies' neckwear; Miss M. Collins, laces; Hotel Grand.
Whitner, C. K., & Co., Reading, Penn.; Miss L. Koch, ladies' hosiery, muslin underwear, and corsets; Hotel Grand.
Sturtevant, H. H., & Co., Zanesville, Ohio; H. H. Sturtevant, millinery; 320 Church Street.
Hatch, Fuld & Friedman, Albany, N. Y.; D. H. Friedman, woolens; Hotel Imperial.
Miller-Daniel Company, Baltimore, Md.; J. M. McMulliken, cloaks, suits, waists, hosiery, and gloves; W. Starkey, dry goods; Hotel Imperial.
Beifeld, J., & Co., Chicago, Ill.; A. Beifeld, cloths; M. Hirsch, cloths; Hotel Wolcott.
Frear, William H., & Co., Troy, N. Y.; E. M. Powell, cloaks and suits; Herald Square Hotel.
Florsheim Brothers Dry Goods Company, Shrevesport, La.; M. Strauss, notions and furnishing goods; 48 Leonard Street; Herald Square Hotel.
Allen, G. W., Boston, Mass.; cloaks and suits; Herald Square Hotel.
Gable, William F., & Co., Altoona, Penn.; H. M. Fleck, dry goods; 2 Walker Street; Herald Square Hotel.
Woodward & Lathrop, Washington, D. C.; A. M. Lathrop, dry goods; 438 Broadway; Holland House.
White, R. H., Company, Boston, Mass.; W. A. McBride, cloaks and suits; 320 Church Street; Hotel Wolcott.
Shepard-Norwell Company, Boston, Mass.; T. Stewart, notions and dress trimmings; 31 Union Square; Hotel Wolcott; T. G. McGregor, domestics; Hotel Navarre.
Siegel, Henry, Company, Boston, Mass.; C. A. Hanley, rugs and mattings; Hotel Wolcott.
Brown, Thompson & Co., Hartford, Conn.; G. Gay, dry goods; 2 Walker St.
Forbes & Wallace, Springfield, Mass.; Mr. Brenton, dry goods; 2 Walker St.
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Reading, Penn.; J. Dives, dry goods; 2 Walker Street.
Minneapolis Dry Goods Company, Minneapolis, Minn.; G. Ludwig, dress goods; 454 Broome Street.
Shortenberg & Robinson, New Haven, Conn.; Miss L. Brehm, muslin underwear, corsets and infants' wear; C. Poole, laces and handkerchiefs; 75 Spring St.
Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Company, Buffalo, N. Y.; R. B. Adam; dry goods; 2 Walker Street.
Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, Salem, Mass.; W. K. Bigelow, dry goods; 2 Walker Street.
Callender, McAuslan & Troup Company, Providence, R. I.; W. Callender, dry goods; 2 Walker Street.
Ambach, M., & Sons, Baltimore, Md.; M. Ambach, woolens; Hoffman House.
Wanamaker, John, Philadelphia, Penn.; W. H. Geary, notions and dress trimmings; Broadway and Tenth Street; Hoffman House.
Gilchrist Company, Boston, Mass.; F. E. Flint, cloaks, suits, and infants' wear; T. J. Graham, gloves, laces, and ribbons; 57 White Street.
Denholm & McKay Company, Worcester, Mass.; L. C. Brown, dry goods; 2 Walker Street.
Barnard, Sumner, Putnam Company, Worcester, Mass.; Mr. Child, laces, handkerchiefs, neckwear, and white goods; 75 Spring Street.
Gutman, Joel, & Co., Baltimore, Md.; Miss B. Steifel, muslin underwear; 79 Grand Street; Hotel Victoria.
Clarke Brothers, Scranton, Penn.; W. J. McHale, millinery; J. A. Brown, dry goods; Hotel Victoria.
Adam, Meldrum, & Anderson Company, Buffalo, N. Y.; H. B. Dickinson, cloaks and suits; 2 Walker Street; Hoffman House.
Hochschild, Kohn & Co., Baltimore, Md.; W. J. Wells, silks and dress goods; 31 Union Square; Hotel Latham.
Silverman, W., & Son, Philadelphia, Penn.; W. Silverman, dress goods; Hotel Latham.
Stein & Newman Brothers, Baltimore, Md.; H. Newman, piece goods; Prince George Hotel.
Gutman, Nathan, & Co., Baltimore, Md.; L. N. Gutman, cloaks, suits, and ribbons; Prince George Hotel.
Wanamaker, John, Philadelphia, Penn.; C. G. Darnell, hosiery and underwear; R. K. Tompkins, gloves; Broadway and Tenth Street; The Breslin.
Lit Brothers, Philadelphia, Penn.; L. Marks, muslin underwear and wrappers; 685 Broadway; The Breslin.
Goldenberg, Brothers, Baltimore, Md.; M. Schneerberger, ladies' neckwear, leather goods, and jewelry, hosiery, and underwear; The Breslin.
Howland Dry Goods Company, Bridgeport, Conn.; M. Bain, domestics; 75 Spring Street.
Shortenberg & Robinson, Pawtucket, R. I.; Miss Murray, ladies and infants' wear and corsets; 75 Spring Street.
Filene, Sons & Co., Boston, Mass.; A. V. Dilley, neckwear, belts, and veilings; Miss M. E. Jantzen, ladies' suits; Miss T. A. Ford, suits; The Breslin.
Houston, James A., Company, Boston, Mass.; P. B. Sharp, silks; V. P. Ring, furs; 458 Broadway; The Breslin.
Stewart & Co., Baltimore, Md.; Miss M. Kirk, ribbons and art goods; Miss L. Moller, ladies' wear; 214 Church Street.
Cohen Company, Richmond, Va.; C. L. Moss, dry goods; 725 Broadway.
Gilchrist Company, Boston, Mass.; A. B. Austin, dry goods; W. Jardine, trimmings and ribbons; 57 White Street.
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago, Ill.; R. W. Hall, silks; 115 Worth Street; Hotel Broztell.

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Janusch Mfg. Co., 18 E. 22d St. Also modern.
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APRONS.
Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 B'way. Rompers.
ART LINENS, EMBROIDERY MATERIAL, NOVELTIES.
Bentley, Chas. E., Co., 588 Broadway.
Frankenberg, Henry E., 457 Broome St.
ART & ELECTRICAL FIXTURES.
Universal Mfg. Co., No. 1 Madison Av., Metropolitan Building, Room 6,065.
AUTO COATS.
Silberman, Scheer & Meyer, formerly M. Silberman & Co., 36-38 W. 20. Also Raincoats.
AWNINGS, TENTS, AND FLAGS.
M. Magee & Son, 147 Fulton St.
BASKETS AND WILLOW WARE.
Chas. Zinn & Co., 130 Grand St.
BOYS' BLOUSES, WAISTS & SHIRTS
Edman Bros., 105 Franklin St. Est. 1889. Also Wash Suits and Knee Pants.
BRAIDS.
Kursheedt Mfg. Co., The, 438 Broadway.
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F. L. Harding, 41 Union Sq., (Desk Sets,&c.)
BUCKLES FOR CLOTHING MFGRS.
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CARPETS, RUGS, AND OILCLOTHS.
Union Carpet Co., 221-223 Canal St.
CELLULOID GOODS.
Bloom & Mandell Co., 81 Walker St. Albums
CHILDREN'S DRESSES & ROMPERS
E. B. Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 Broadway.
CLOAKS AND SUITS.
Rothschild, L., 45 E. 8th St. Ladies' Silk Coats.
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CORSETS.
Boston Hygienic Corset Co., 1 West 34th St.
COSTUMES & Shirt Waist Dresses.
J. Goldberg, 27 West 24th St.
ELECTROTYPES AND CUTS.
Freud Engraving Co., 104 Fulton St.
EMBROIDERIES.
Leumann, Boesch & Weingart, 593 B'way.
ENVELOPES (Sample & Catalogue.)
The Clasp Envelope Co., 109 Leonard St.
FAVORS & TABLE DECORATIONS.
B. Shackman & Co., 812 Broadway.
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Self-cleaning Stone Filters. Linke, 1,561 B'way
FOUNTAIN & STYLO PENS.
Diamond Point Pen Co. Also Pearl, Gold, and Silver Writing Sets. 86-88 Fulton St.
HOSIERY.
Boley, M., 506 B'way. Men's Hosiery Exclus'ly
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Schiff, Henry, & Co., 890-92 B'way, cor. 19th
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Weinstein, Max, Co., 157 Spring, Mfrs. Kid&Silk
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Nasrallah, S., 85 Washington St.
KNIT GOODS—COATS AND BL'SES.
Myres, Max M., 486 Broadway. Also Shawls.
KNIT GOODS—Knit Underwear.
American Hosiery Co., 108-110 Franklin St.
Samuels, I. A., & Co., 486 B'way. Mill Agts.
LADIES' COATS.
J. Mitteldorf, 36 E. 20. Silk & Pongee Nvlts.
LADIES' DR'SES & SH'RTW'ST S'TS.
J. Glockner, 34-36 West Houston St.
Spitzer & Harris, 132 West 17th St.
MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS AND DRESSES.
Getsky & Co., 110-112 Fifth Av.
NECKWEAR—Men's.
Berliner, Strauss & Meyer, 733, 735, 737 B'way.
OIL PAINTINGS & FR'M'D PICTURES
Gray & Co., 390 Pearl St. Gold Mirrors.
OSTRICH FEATHERS.
Taylor, M. J., & Co., Mfg., 37 East 18th St.
PICTURE AND WINDOW GLASS.
Vanhorne, D. A., & Co., 467-469 Greenwich.
SHIRT WAISTS & SUITS—LADIES'.
Atlantic Waist Co., 64-66 East 11th St.
STATIONERY.
Fairman Co., Calendars, Tally's, 366 W. 15th.
SUITS, SKIRTS, & COVERT J'KETS.
Cohen&Pollack.25Wav'lyPl.Suits$6.50upto$15
TOYS AND NOVELTIES.
Selchow & Righter, 267 Canal St., nr. B'way.
WASH COAT SUITS.
Gross Bros., 7 West 18th St. Skirts for Girls.
WATER-PROOF TARPAULINS.
John Sullivan & Son, 356 Hudson St.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—James A. Goldsmith, William Erdmann, and Alice L. Price, as executors of and trustees under the last will and testament of Edward A. Price, deceased, executor and trustee under the last will and testament of Frederick Butterfield, deceased, plaintiffs, against Caroline Matilda Butterfield, individually and as executrix and trustee under the will of Frederick Butterfield, deceased; Sarah Catherine Ballard Smith, Dorothea Ballard Smith, Henry I. Butterfield, F. W. Louis Butterfield, Marie Louise Butterfield, Amelia Miller, and Lucius H. Beers and Howard Mansfield, as cotrustees with said Caroline Matilda Butterfield, of the trusts created under the will of Frederick Butterfield, deceased, defendants. Trial desired in New York County.

To the above-named defendants:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiffs' attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York, November 12, 1907.

WOOD & GOLDSMITH,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
Office and Post Office address, No. 45 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

To the defendant, Marie Louise Butterfield:

The foregoing summons is served on you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable Charles H. Truax, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 3d day of December, 1907, and filed with the summons and verified complaint herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, County and State of New York, on the 3d day of December, 1907.

Dated New York, February 24th, 1908.

WOOD & GOLDSMITH,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
Office and Post Office adress, No. 45 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—THE LONDON CITY AND MIDLAND BANK, Limited, Plaintiff, against MAGNOLIA BANK, Defendant.—Summons.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated February 18, 1908.

SHEARMAN & STERLING,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Office and Post Office address, No. 44 Wall Street, New York City.

To the Magnolia Bank:

The foregoing summons is served upon you pursuant to an order of Hon. James A. O'Gorman, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 18th day of March, 1908, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the Court House in said county, on March 18, 1908. The original verified complaint herein was filed in the office of the said Clerk on February 18, 1908.

SHEARMAN & STERLING,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
44 Wall Street, New York City.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—MINNIE E. SIMON, otherwise known as MINNIE E. SINGER, plaintiff, against HARRY L. SINGER, defendant.—Summons.—Action to annul a marriage.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated March 15, 1908.

To Harry L. Singer:

The foregoing summons is served upon you without the State of New York, pursuant to an order of Mr. Justice J. A. O'Gorman, dated the 23d day of March, 1908, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated New York City, March 23d, 1908.

CHARLES J. LANE,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Office and Post Office address, No. 116 Nassau Street, New York City.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—BLAIZE L. HARSELL and GRACE E. LEWIS, Plaintiffs, vs. CHARLES DE KAY TOWNSEND, L. Bradford Prince, Williemene B. Townsend, Letitia Harsell, Norman Harsell, Willlemene B. Lewis, Lawrence Wolff Lewis, Alfred E. Lewis, Jr., 2d, Sophia Thomas, Letitia B. Thomas, Mary Carstensen, Mary Whittle, Alexander Hume, Henry Hume, Alexander Bradley, Emma Isabel Gregg, Ruthilla R. Blackwell, Eliza Justina Kingsland, William B. Blackwell, Jr., and the Bankers' Surety Company, defendants.—Summons.

To the above-named defendants: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiffs' attorney within 20 days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default, for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York, Feb. 21st, 1908.

ROBERT B. HONEYMAN,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.
Office and Post Office address, No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Charles De Kay Townsend, Williemene B. Townsend, Letitia Harsell, Williemene B. Lewis, Lawrence Wolff Lewis, Alfred E. Lewis, Jr., 2d, Sophia Thomas, Letitia B. Thomas, Mary Whittle, Alexander Bradley, Henry Hume, Alexander Hume, Emma Isabel Gregg, Eliza Justina Kingsland, and William B. Blackwell, Jr.:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of M. Warley Platzek, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 26th day of February, 1908, and filed with the complaint on the 28th day of February, 1908, in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated New York, March 2d, 1908.

ROBERT B. HONEYMAN,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO CHANGE NAME.

Notice is hereby given that the LEVENSON, LEVY CO., a domestic corporation, having its principal business office in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part 1, to be held at the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on the 22d day of April, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order authorizing said corporation to change its corporate name to LEVENSON & CO.

Dated at the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, this 11th day of March, 1908.

(Signed) LEVENSON, LEVY CO.,
By MAX L. LEVENSON, President.
MELVILLE H. REGENSBURGER, Atty. for Petitioners, Office and P. O. address, No. 60 Wall Street, Bo. of Manhattan, New York City.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE SUpreme Court, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the VOEGTLIN COMPANY to present to the undersigned their claims, with the vouchers therefor, duly verified, on or before the 10th day of June, 1908, at the office of Holden & Rogers, 141 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

Dated New York, March 24th, 1908.

E. RUSSELL IVES,
Assignee for Benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Whereas, the undersigned intends to apply to the Surrogates' Court of the County of Washington, State of New York, for letters of administration and to have Frank L. Waite joined with her in such administration upon the goods, chattels, credits, and estate of Edmund C. Waite, late of the Town of Cambridge, in said county, deceased, under the provision of Section 2,664 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of New York for limiting the penalty of administrators' bond.

Therefore, notice is hereby given to all creditors of said deceased to present their claims to the Surrogate of said County of Washington on or before the 25th day of April, 1908.

Dated Cambridge, New York, March 14th, 1908.

MARTHA E. WAITE,
Widow of said deceased.
FRANK L. WAITE,
Son of said deceased.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—STEPHEN DUNCAN PRINGLE, plaintiff, against LENA HAAS, (wife of Samuel Haas,) and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above entitled action and bearing date the 18th day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, Auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan of the City of New York, in the County and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

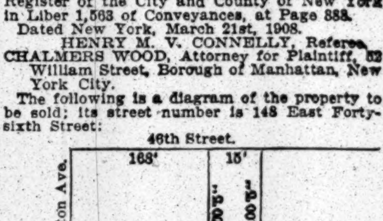
Beginning at a point in the southerly side of Forty-sixth Street, distant one hundred and sixty-eight (168) feet eastwardly from the southeasterly corner of said street and Lexington Avenue; running thence southwardly and parallel with Lexington Avenue, and part of the distance through a party wall, one hundred (100) feet five (5) inches; thence eastwardly parallel with Forty-sixth Street fifteen (15) feet; thence northwardly parallel with Lexington Avenue, and part of the distance through another party wall, one hundred (100) feet five (5) inches to the southerly side of Forty-sixth Street, and thence westwardly along said street fifteen (15) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Subject to covenants and restrictions contained in deed recorded in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York in Liber 1,563 of Conveyances, at Page 388.

Dated New York, March 21st, 1908.

HENRY M. V. CONNELLY, Referee.
CHALMERS WOOD, Attorney for Plaintiff, 52 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 148 East Forty-sixth Street:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $13,480.82-100, with interest thereon from the 9th day of March, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $331.33-100, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the Referee, is $207.89-100 and interest.

The above premises will be sold subject to the following:

Covenants and restrictions as to the character of buildings and against nuisances contained in deed recorded in Liber 1,563 of Conveyances at Page 388.

Encroachments, if any, by stoop newel posts and area of the building thereon on street and adjoining premises, and by the stoop and newel posts of the building on the premises adjoining on the east on and in front of the premises hereby advertised for sale.

Dated New York, the 21st day of March, 1908.

HENRY M. V. CONNELLY, Referee.

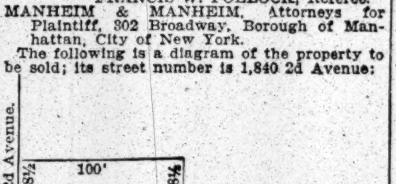
SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—SAMUEL GOLDE, plaintiff, against NATHAN LUBETKIN et al., defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 19th day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows: All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Ninety-fifth Street with the easterly side of Second Avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Ninety-fifth Street, one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly, parallel with Second Avenue, twenty-five (25) feet eight and one-half (8½) inches; thence westerly, again parallel with Ninety-fifth Street, one hundred (100) feet to the said easterly side of Second Avenue; thence southerly, along the easterly side of Second Avenue, twenty-five (25) feet eight and one-half (8½) inches, to the point or place of beginning.—Dated New York, March 20th, 1908.

FRANCIS W. POLLOCK, Referee.
MANHEIM & MANHEIM, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 1,840 2d Avenue:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge, to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold, is $13,147.17, with interest thereon from the 14th day of March 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $360.88, with interest from March 19th, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is $1,100 and interest.

The mortgaged premises will be sold subject to a first mortgage of $28,000, due August 1st, 1911, bearing interest at the rate of 5% per annum, with accrued interest thereon from February 1st, 1908.—Dated New York, March 20th, 1908. FRANCIS W. POLLOCK, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—NORTH AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, plaintiff, against TYLER REALTY AND MORTGAGE COMPANY and others, defendants.

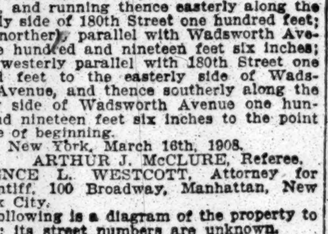
In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 13th day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 7th day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of 180th Street with the easterly side of Wadsworth Avenue, and running thence easterly along the northerly side of 180th Street one hundred feet; thence northerly parallel with Wadsworth Avenue one hundred and nineteen feet six inches; thence westerly parallel with 180th Street one hundred feet to the easterly side of Wadsworth Avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly side of Wadsworth Avenue one hundred and nineteen feet six inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, March 16th, 1908.

ARTHUR J. McCLURE, Referee.
CLARENCE L. WESTCOTT, Attorney for plaintiff, 100 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street numbers are unknown.



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $87,403.59-100, with interest thereon from the 6th day of March, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $338.20-100, with interest from March 13th, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is $1,069.17-100 and interest.

Dated New York, March 16th, 1908.

ARTHUR J. McCLURE, Referee.

AT A STATED TERM OF THE UNITED States District Court for the Southern District of New York, held at the Post Office Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1908.—Present: Hon. George C. Holt, District Judge.—In the matter of the petition of BAKER LEATHER COMPANY and others to have LOUIS GROSS adjudged an involuntary bankrupt.—No. 10,319.

Upon the involuntary petition of all the petitioners filed herein on the 20th of November, 1907, against Louis Gross, against whom an adjudication, as a bankrupt, was sought, and a subpoena having been issued directing him to appear on the 27th of November, 1907, and it appearing that the United States Marshal for the Southern District of New York has made return on the said subpoena that he was unable to find Louis Gross within the Southern District of New York, and upon the annexed affidavit of Edwin F. Stern, and it appearing that personal service of a subpoena cannot be made on said alleged bankrupt, on motion of Wentworth, Lowenstein & Stern, attorneys for the petitioning creditors herein, it is

Ordered, That the said Louis Gross appear in this Court at a Stated Term to be held in the Southern District of New York, at the Federal Post Office Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of April, 1908, and answer, plead, or demur to the said petition hereinbefore filed; and it is further

Ordered, That this order be published in The New York Times once a week for two successive weeks, the last of said publications to be on the 2d day of April, 1908. It is further

Ordered and Directed, That a certified copy of this order and the petition upon which it is based, be mailed to the last known place of residence of Louis Griss, or directed to General Delivery of the City of New York, on or before the last day of publication.

GEO. C. HOLT, U. S. D. J.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK County.—WILLIAM PRAGER, plaintiff, against SAMUEL VAN BENSCHOTEN et als., defendants.

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment of partition and sale in the above-entitled action, duly made and entered therein, bearing date the 12th day of November, 1907, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 13th day of November, 1907, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 12th day of March, 1908, at twelve o'clock of that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

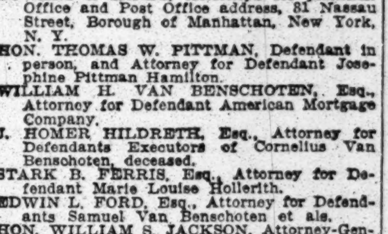
All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the northeasterly corner of First Avenue and Houston Street, which parcel of land is bounded westerly in front by said First Avenue; southerly by Houston Street; northerly by land now or formerly belonging to Isaac A. Storm, and easterly by land now or formerly belonging to Cornelius Du Bois, which said lot of land contains in front on First Avenue twenty-five (25) feet two (2) inches; in the rear, on land now or formerly of Cornelius Du Bois, twenty-five (25) feet four (4) inches; southerly by Houston Street, ninety-two (92) feet, and northerly, on the other side, by land now or formerly of Isaac A. Storm, eighty-eight (88) feet five (5) inches, be said dimensions more or less.

Being the same premises which were conveyed by William C. Cox, referee, to Lemuel Pittman, Cornelius Van Benschoten, Samuel Van Benschoten and Henry H. Johnson, by referee's deed, dated February 25, 1887, and recorded April 8, 1887, in the office of the Register of the County of New York, in Liber 2047 of Conveyances, Page 80.

Dated New York, February 18, 1908.

HUGH R. GARDEN,
Referee.
BOWERS & SANDS, Attorneys for plaintiff. Office and Post Office address, 31 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York, N. Y.
HON. THOMAS W. PITTMAN, Defendant in person, and Attorney for Defendant Josephine Pittman Hamilton.
WILLIAM H. VAN BENSCHOTEN, Esq., Attorney for Defendant American Mortgage Company.
J. HOMER HILDRETH, Esq., Attorney for Defendants Executors of Cornelius Van Benschoten, deceased.
STARK B. FERRIS, Esq., Attorney for Defendant Marie Louise Hollerith.
EDWIN L. FORD, Esq., Attorney for Defendants Samuel Van Benschoten et als.
HON. WILLIAM S. JACKSON, Attorney-General, &c.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold. Its street numbers are 2 First Avenue and 174 East Houston Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York:



The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates or other liens, to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is four thousand one hundred and fifty-seven and 44-100 dollars, ($4,157.44,) which amount may, however, have been apportioned and paid as to some of the undivided shares of said premises.

Said premises are sold subject to the tenancies of the present tenants.

Dated New York, February 18, 1908.

HUGH R. GARDEN,
Referee.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Thursday, March 26th, 1908, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, March 12th, 1908.

HUGH R. GARDEN,
Referee.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Thursday, April 2, 1908, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, March 26, 1908.

HUGH R. GARDEN,
Referee.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW York, County of New York.—LAWYERS TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, Plaintiff, against FRANK STARKMAN et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 16th day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain plot, piece, or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, of the City of New York, in the County and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Beck Street with the westerly side of Avenue St. John; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Beck Street 100 feet; thence southerly parallel with the westerly side of Avenue St. John 250 feet to the northerly side of Fox Street; thence easterly along the northerly side of Fox Street 100 feet to the westerly side of Avenue St. John; thence northerly along the westerly side of Avenue St. John 250 feet to the point or place of beginning; be said several dimensions more or less. Being part of the block of land bounded by Fox Street, Prospect Avenue, Beck Street, and Avenue St. John.

Being part of the "Dater Farm" and part of the premises which were conveyed to Christopher Meyer by indenture of conveyance dated March 15, 1886, made by Mahlon C. Martin, and recorded in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in Liber 1951 of Conveyances, Page 38, on March 20th, 1886.

Being the same premises which were conveyed to the said mortgagor by the said mortgagee by deed delivered and intended to be recorded simultaneously herewith.

This mortgage being a purchase money mortgage and given to secure a portion of the consideration in said deed expressed or referred to.

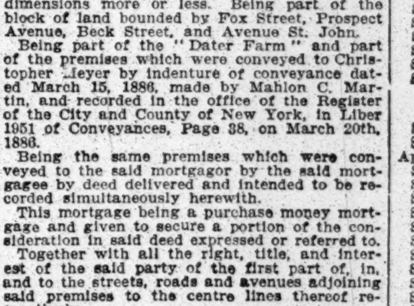
Together with all the right, title, and interest of the said party of the first part of, in, and to the streets, roads and avenues adjoining said premises to the centre lines thereof respectively.

Subject, however, to the covenants contained in deed made by the executors of Philip Dater, deceased, to James Dater, dated June 30th, 1865, and recorded in the office of the Register of Westchester County, New York, in Liber 578 of Deeds, Page 136.

Dated New York, March 20th, 1908.

ARTHUR C. PATTERSON, Referee.
PHILIP S. DEAN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 37 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $36,341.67, with interest thereon from the 7th day of March, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $346.79, with interest from March 16, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is $6,500 and interest.

Dated New York, March 20th, 1908.

ARTHUR C. PATTERSON, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—GEORGE EHRET, plaintiff, against AMELIA STAVRAHN and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 21st day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, Auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

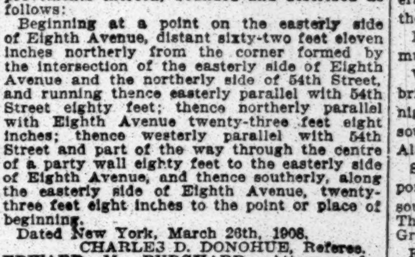
All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Eighth Avenue, distant sixty-two feet eleven inches northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Eighth Avenue and the northerly side of 54th Street, and running thence easterly parallel with 54th Street eighty feet; thence northerly parallel with Eighth Avenue twenty-three feet eight inches; thence westerly parallel with 54th Street and part of the way through the centre of a party wall eighty feet to the easterly side of Eighth Avenue, and thence southerly, along the easterly side of Eighth Avenue, twenty-three feet eight inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, March 26th, 1908.

CHARLES D. DONOHUE, Referee.
EDWARD M. BURGHARD, Attorney for Plaintiff, 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 916 8th Avenue:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $4,252.54, with interest thereon from the 9th day of March, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $236, approximately, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates, or other liens to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the Referee, is $450 and interest.

Dated New York, the 26th day of March, 1908.

CHARLES D. DONOHUE, Referee.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..5:44|Sun sets..6:26|Moon sets...8:18

TIDES TO-DAY.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	8:27	8:45	2:15	2:33
Governors Island	8:57	9:19	2:57	3:15
Hell Gate	10:50	11:12	4:29	4:47

Arrived—Wednesday, April 1.

SS Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Bremen, March 24.
SS Oceanic, Southampton, March 23.
SS Kroonland, Antwerp, March 21.
SS Carolina, Oran, March 15.
SS Francesca, Palermo, March 16.
SS Germania, Naples, March 18.
SS Prinzess Irene, Gibraltar, March 23.
SS Siegmund, Barbados, March 24.
SS Obidense, Barbados, March 26.
SS Rosefield, Santiago, March 25.
SS Potsdam, Rotterdam, March 21.
SS Magdalena, Port Antonio, March 28.
SS Huron, Jacksonville, March 29.
SS Newlands, St. Lucia, March 28.
SS Massachusetts, London, March 18.
SS Prinz Sigismund, Kingston, March 28.
SS Sibiria, Fortune Island, March 27.
SS Nueces, Galveston, March 25.
SS Pawnee, Philadelphia, March 31.
SS El Norte, Galveston, March 26.
SS Jamestown, Norfolk, March 31.
SS Sabine, Brunswick, March 29.

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Celtic, Liverpool	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Hellig Olav, Copenhagen	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Gascogne, Havre	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Morro Castle, Havana	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Finance, Colon	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Trinidad, Bermuda	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
Comanche, Jacksonville	———	3:00 P.M.
C. of Macon, Savannah	———	3:00 P.M.

SAIL TO-MORROW.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Vigilancia, Nassau	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Camaguay, Santiago	———	3:00 P.M.
Sabine, Brunswick	———	12:00 M.

SAIL SATURDAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Brasile, Genoa	———	———
Phila'phia, Southampton	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Carmania, Liverpool	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Tennyson, Brazil	8:00 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
Newton, Argentina	8:00 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
Zulia, Curacao	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Coamo, Mayaguez	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Parima, St. Thomas	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Saratoga, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
P. Sigismund Jamaica	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Sibiria, Inagua	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Queen Mary, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Magdalena, Colon	12:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
Massachusetts, London	———	8:00 A.M.
Kroonland, Antwerp	———	11:00 A.M.
Patricia, Hamburg	———	12:00 M.
Prinzess Irene, Naples	———	11:00 A.M.
Caledonia, Glasgow	———	10:00 A.M.
Nueces, Galveston	———	12:00 M.
Huron, Jacksonville	———	12:00 M.
C. of Atlanta, Savannah	———	3:00 P.M.
Algonquin, Turk's Island	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

St. Andrew	Antwerp	Mar. 18
Moraitis	Gibraltar	Mar. 21
Lovstakken	Lisbon	Mar. 17
Pretoria	Hamburg	Mar. 21
Georgic	Liverpool	Mar. 21
Umbria	Liverpool	Mar. 28
Hudson	Havre	Mar. 21
American	Liverpool	Mar. 12
Momus	New Orleans	Mar. 28
City of Atlanta	Savannah	Mar. 30

DUE TO-MORROW.

Bermudian	Bermuda	Apr. 1
Altai	Carthagena	Mar. 25
Emisbrook	Seville	Mar. 20
New York City	Swansea	Mar. 20
Petersburg	Rotterdam	Mar. 21
Re d'Italia	Gibraltar	Mar. 24
Comal	Galveston	Mar. 28
Mexico	Vera Cruz	Mar. 28
El Rio	Galveston	Mar. 28

DUE SATURDAY.

Amerika	Cherbourg	Mar. 28
Provence	Havre	Mar. 28
Lucania	Liverpool	Mar. 28
Hersilia	Seville	Mar. 23
Kelvingrove	St. Lucia	Mar. 22

Reported by Wireless.

SS Re d'Italia, incoming from Naples, was reported by Marconi wireless 755 miles east of Sandy Hook at 11 A. M. yesterday. Due at her pier about 1 P. M. Friday.

From Foreign Ports

Arrived.

SS Adriatic, at Plymouth, April 1.
SS Oscar II., at Copenhagen, April 1.
SS Christiania, at Rio Janeiro, March 29.
SS Aros Castle, at East London, April 1.
SS Orinoco, at Barbados, March 31.
SS Korona, at Barbados, April 1.
SS Oroyo, at Fayal, April 1.
SS Crown Prince, at Bahia, March 30.
SS Devonshire, at Callao, March 30.
SS Star of England, at Dunedin, March 31.

Sailed.

SS Teutonic from Southampton, April 1.
SS Kronprinzessin Cecilie, from Cherbourg, April 1.
SS Caronia, from Liverpool, April 1.
SS Bermudian, from Bermuda, April 1.
SS Teutonic, from Cherbourg, April 1.
SS Excelsior, from Rotterdam, March 31.
SS Atrato, from Southampton, April 1.
SS Flandre, from Ghent, March 30.
SS Camorens, from Rio Janeiro, March 28.
SS Italian Prince, from Santos, March 30.
SS Verdi, from Barbados, March 30.
SS New York, from Rotterdam, March 31.
SS African Monarch, from Table Bay, March 31.
SS Venezia, from Naples, March 28.

Passed.

SS Willkommen, New York for Hamburg, passed Prawle Point.
SS San Giorgio, Naples for New York, passed Gibraltar.

Pacific Steamships.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Asia	Apr. 2 6:00 P.M.
New Zealand, Australia, (except West,) Samoan Islands, and New Caledonia, (via San Francisco)—Inverio	Apr. 5 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, (via San Francisco)—Alameda	Apr. 6 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Empress of China	Apr. 8 6:00 P.M.
Tahiti and Marquesas Islands, (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	Apr. 9 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Seattle)—Aki Maru	Apr. 9 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Shawmut	Apr. 10 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Tacoma)—Antilochus	Apr. 10 6:00 P.M.
Australia, (except West,) New Zealand, Samoan Islands, Fiji Islands, and New Caledonia, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Miowera	Apr. 19 6:00 P.M.

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THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Lower pressure over the central valleys has resulted in general rain and abnormally high temperatures in the South.

In the West the weather has cleared with much lower temperatures and high pressure.

Winds along the New England Coast will be brisk east to south, becoming west by Friday night; Middle Atlantic Coast, fresh to brisk south, shifting to west and northwest; South Alantic Coast, light to fresh northwest.

Steamships departing Thursday for European ports will have fresh to brisk southeast to south winds, shifting to west by Friday; rain Thursday, clearing and colder Friday, to the Grand Banks.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND FRIDAY.

Eastern New York, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania—Rain Thursday; Friday fair, colder; south winds, shifting to west and northwest, and becoming brisk to moderately high.

New England—Snow in north rain in south portion Thursday; Friday colder, with fair in south and west and clearing in northeast portion; brisk to high east to south winds, shifting to northwest by Friday morning.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1907.	1908.		1907.	1908.
3 A. M.	35	42	4 P. M.	39	55
6 A. M.	32	44	6 P. M.	39	50
9 A. M.	31	48	9 P. M.	32	44
12 M.	35	50	12 P. M.	28	43

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 48; for the corresponding date last year it was 35; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 43.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 46; at 8 P. M. it was 44. Maximum temperature, 55 degrees at 4 P. M.; minimum, 41 degrees at 3:30 A. M. Humidity, 89 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 77 per cent. at 8 P. M.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

Ex-Gov. Morton Buys Block Front of New Apartments on the Heights—Deal for Large Interest in Rockingham Property—"Al" Adams Estate Sells.

A large investment purchase on Washington Heights by ex-Gov. Levi P. Morton was announced yesterday by his broker, Frederick Zittel. The deal is one of the largest effected so far this year, and seems likely to have a very strengthening influence, not only upon Washington Heights property, but upon the general market as well.

Ex-Gov. Morton has bought, through Mr. Zittel, from Gross & Herbener, builders, the new Magnet apartments covering the block front on the west side of Broadway, from 140th to 141st Street. These structures, which have just been finished, are of the six-story elevator type, with ten apartments on a floor, and cover a plot 200 by 100. The price paid for the property was about $650,000.

While he has never been an active figure in the city's real estate trading, ex-Gov. Morton has accumulated from time to time large investment holdings, including the Morton Building on Nassau Street and several large apartment houses on the west side in the lower part of Harlem.

Deal for Eighth Avenue Corner.

The estate of Albert J. Adams has sold the six-story store and loft building at the northwest corner of Eighth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street, known as 539 and 541 Eighth Avenue, and 301 West Thirty-seventh Street. The property has frontage of 28.1 feet on the avenue and 100 feet on the street, with an "L" at the rear extending back 49.4 feet. The parcel was put up at auction, together with other holdings of the Adams estate, last October, at which time it was knocked down to William Kirkman for $160,000, but title never passed.

Another Rockingham Deal.

Edmund L. Mooney yesterday took title to a one-half interest in the Rockingham apartment house, at the southwest corner of Broadway and Fifty-sixth Street. As he already owned a one-sixth interest in the property, he now controls two-thirds of this corner, which is assessed by the city at $615,000. The plot fronts 131.9 feet on Broadway and 122.7 feet on Fifty-sixth Street, and is directly opposite the new Broadway Tabernacle.

The property is subject to the life interest of Mrs. Daniel Butterfield, who, before her marriage to Gen. Butterfield, was the widow of Frederick P. James, President of the New York Stock Exchange for several years immediately after the civil war.

Mr. James, who owned much other valuable real estate in Manhattan, in addition to the Rockingham, and extensive lands in West Virginia and Texas, left one-half of the income of all his property to his widow. Out of the remaining one-half of the income the widow was to pay all taxes, interest charges, and assessments of every kind. What remained after these charges had been paid was to be divided among the legal heirs of Mr. James, about twelve in number.

Upon the death of his widow the entire property will be sold at auction and the entire proceeds divided among the heirs. As a result of yesterday's purchase Mr. Mooney will receive two-thirds of the selling price of the Rockingham when that property is sold after Mrs. Butterfield's death.

Estate Sells on East 61st Street.

Pease & Elliman have sold for the Adler estate 37 East Sixty-first Street, a four-story brownstone dwelling, on lot 19 by 100.

William Waldorf Astor Buys.

The dwelling 383 West End Avenue, adjoining the northwest corner of Seventy-eighth Street, was conveyed yesterday by Emma J. Stewart to William Waldorf Astor. The purchase was made by Mr. Astor, presumably to get control of this corner and prevent the erection of any building which might detract from the value of the big Apthorp apartments on the opposite side of West End Avenue.

Trainor's Hotel Transferred.

The old Trainor's Hotel property at the southwest corner of Broadway and Thirty-third Street was transferred yesterday by Edward A. Morrison to the Hudson Companies. Mr. Morrison takes back a three-year 4 per cent. mortgage for $1,050,000. The hotel and the adjoining Manhattan Theatre are the only structures now standing on the site of the uptown terminal of the Hudson Tunnels.

Sale of 72d Street Residence.

Thomas S. Ormiston has sold to a client of F. V. Calder & Co. 224 West Seventy-second Street, a four-story dwelling on lot 20 by 102.2.

F. Gouget has leased for Burnett C. MacIntyre to Dr. Malcolm Leal for five years the dwelling 162 West Seventy-third Street.

Leases of 125th Street Buildings.

Enrico V. Pescia & Co. have leased for Arthur Brisbane for a long term of years the two four-story buildings with stores at 233 and 235 West 125th Street; also the four five-story double flats at 228 to 234 West 126th Street. The lessees intend to make extensive alterations to all the houses.

Harvey N. Bloomer has leased to the Robert Reid Company for the Hanscom estate the store and basement at 115 West 125th Street; also, for the same estate, to Hobson Brothers the building 239 West 125th Street.

The new building to be erected at the southwest corner of Third Avenue and 121st Street will be put up by Edward Callan, who owns the land. The lease to Cowperthwaite & Sons covers the entire property and new building.

Ernest N. Adler has sold for Adolph Miller 980 First Avenue, a five-story tenement with stores on lot 25 by 94.

Apartments on Heights in Trade.

Freidus & Steinberg have sold for Abraham Bachrach 526 West 152d Street, a six-story apartment house on plot 40 by 100. In part payment Mr. Bachrach takes 40 to 44 West 135th Street, three five-story triple flats on plot 75 by 100.

Tenants for Mercantile Structures.

G. W. Barney has leased for William MacBain to the Hornby Company 4,000 square feet of space in the building 317 and 319 Greenwich Street; also, for Redlich & Co., to Herbert Druiffe, 2,000 square feet in the building 860 Broadway; also, for Charles L. Hadley as Trustee, to Luigi Balbi & Co., the building 270 West Broadway, and, for Agnes M. Strebeigh to Mark R. Levy, the store and basement at 403 Greenwich Street.

Jerome A. Myers has leased offices in the S. F. Myers Building, 49 Maiden Lane, to Keegan & Rosenkrantz, the Adelphi Silver Company, Berland & Nadler, the Myers, Jr., Pen Company, S. S. Bliss, the Humbert Realty Company, and R. Oblatt.

Payson McL. Merrill announces that he has removed to new offices at 481 Fifth Avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-second Streets.

E. C. M. Fitzgerald has opened an office in the Cambridge Building, 334 Fifth Avenue, and has moved his Brooklyn office to the Temple Bar Building, 44 Court Street.

Arthur Parsons has removed his offices to 40 Wall Street.

Loring Place Property Sold.

E. Osborne Smith & Co. have sold for George Backer to a Mrs. Lietz the three-story two-family stone house, 2,255 Loring Place.

J. G. Bassman has sold for Emil Harris to Johanna Watson, 910 East 137th Street, a five-story apartment house, on plot 37.6 by 100.

New Owners for Brooklyn Houses.

Burrill Bros. have sold the three-story brick and stone dwelling, 188 Eighth Avenue, between Garfield Place and First Street, Brooklyn, for Richard A. Walsh to G. W. Dunnelsen; also, the three-story brownstone dwelling 463 First Street, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, for Fannie A. Tong to H. W. McGill.

Lots Sold on Rockaway Turnpike.

Leopold Friedheim and Herman Bass have bought, for development, about 400 lots on the Rockaway Turnpike, adjoining the new grand concourse.

The Lewis H. May Co. has sold for William H. Amerman the cottage at the southwest corner of Alexander Avenue and the Boulevard, known as 1 South Alexander Avenue, Arverne, L. I., to A. Samuels.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

Lenox Av, e s, the block front between 113th and 114th Sts, 201.10x125, five-story brick building known as Hotel Balmoral; public auction sale, to Jacob Mendelsohn, representing parties in interest, $320,000.

Macy Place, 876, (old No. 1,042,) s s, 50 ft w of Hewitt Place, 25x94.8, two-story frame dwelling; foreclosure sale, to John Higgins, $7,925.

By Peter F. Meyer.

26th St, 332 West, s s, 425 ft e of 9th Av, 25x98.9, three-story tenement, with store; foreclosure sale, to Charles Martin, $23,850.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

Perry St, 142 and 144, for a five-story brick loft building, 42.1x97.7; Fleischmann Co. of 701 Washington St, owner; A. M. Duncan, architect; cost, $60,000.

Amsterdam Av, e s, 78.1 ft n of Washington Av, for a six-story brick flat and store, 35.7x87; A. V. Donellan Construction Co. of 501 West 121st St, owner; Moore & Landsiedel, architects; cost, $60,000.

Rivington St, n e corner of Essex St, for a six-story brick flat and store, 40x67.5; M. Ross of 63 Orchard St, owner; H. Horenburger, architect; cost, $25,000.

Barnes Av, w s, 50 ft s of 235th St, for a two-story frame dwelling, 20x48; William F. Kayser, 236th St and Hobart Av, owner; Louis W. Kayser, architect; cost, $4,600.

Monoghan Av, e s, 375 ft n of Jefferson Av, for a two-story brick dwelling, 22x31; A. Merlino of 110 East 220th St, owner; L. Howard, architect; cost, $2,500.

179th St, n s, 95 ft e of Morris Av, for four three-story brick dwellings, 16.3x43; August Jacob of 527 East 149th St, owner; Franz Wolfgang, architect; cost, $24,000.

184th St, n e corner of Aqueduct Av, for four three-story brick dwellings, 22x55; Germano Fioravanti, Hancock Av, Yonkers, owner; J. C. Cocker, architect; cost, $25,000.

4th St, s s, 175 ft e of Green Lane, for a two-story brick dwelling, 20x50; James McDonnel, owner; Thomas L. Newman, architect; cost, $5,000.

Park Av, n e corner of 166th St, for two five-story brick tenements, 52.8x99.6; George H. Jacob, 179th St and Morris Av, owner; Charles Schaefer, Jr., architect; cost, $75,000.

227th St, s s, 130 ft e of Barnes Av, for a two-story frame dwelling, 21x50; Martha M. Youngs, owner; Carl Johnson, architect; cost, $5,000.

Alterations.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

Columbus Av, n e corner of 75th St, to a ten-story brick apartment house and stores; J. Robert, London, England, owner; Neville & Bagge, architects; cost, $10,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wednesday, April 1.

AMSTERDAM AV, s e corner of 163d St, 100x45; Charles Garfell to Emma Harburger, (mtg $75,000,) $100.

AQUEDUCT AV, e s, 76 ft n of Buchanan Place, 25.4x103.3x25x107.6; Julius Schwartzkopf to William Sohmer, (mtg $3,000,) $1.

BEEKMAN AV, 344; Charles A. Wingert to Thomas J. Keane, (mtg $40,000,) $100.

BEEKMAN AV, 344; Dezso Fuchs to Charles A. Wingert, (mtg $40,000,) $100.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 56th St, 131.9x122.7; Mary Gerard to Edmund L. Mooney, an interest, (mtg $150,000,) $1.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 56th St, 131.9x122.7; Andrew J. Shipman to Edmund L. Mooney, ½ part, $100.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 156th St, 99.11x irregular; Realty Co. of Fort Washington to Francis A. Carlsoon, (mtg $207,500,) $100.

BROADWAY, 1,285 and 1,287, or 6th Av, w s, 46.6x irregular; also 33d St, 106 West, s s, 16.8x35.6; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $100.

BROADWAY, 1,289 and 1,291; 33d St, 100 West, 49.4x100x50.4x100; 33d St, 102 West, 16.8x26.2x17.3x21.9; E. A. Morrison to Hudson Companies, $100.

BRONX TERRACE, e s, n 59.6 ft, Lot 1,176, map of Wakefield, 59.6x105; Johanna Schlosser to Rosa Solner, (mtg $500,) $100.

BRYANT ST, 1,500, e s, 25x100; Abraham C. Rothstein to John Woods and others, quitclaim, $1.

BRYANT ST, 1,500, e s, 25x100; Ida Mondsheim to John Woods and others, (mtg $7,500,) $100.

CAMBRELING AV, w s, 54.2 ft n of 189th St, 17.3x100; John B. Little to Ignace Muller, $100.

CARMINE ST, s s, 45 ft e of Bedford St, 80x80; Joseph Faggelle to Charles F. Pfizenmeyer, (mtg $30,500,) $1.

COLLEGE AV, n e corner of 152d St, 75x100; Supreme Realty Company to Albert Fries, (mtg $75,000,) $1.

COURTLANDT AV, w s, 25 ft n of 156th St, 25x100.4; George Graff, executor, to John Schulz, (mtg $3,500,) $10,500.

DECATUR AV, w s, 150.4 ft n of 195th St, 25x127.2x25.2x131.11; Amalia Pirk to Louis Leib and another, (mtg $5,000,) $100.

EAGLE AV, 683, 19.11x99.5; John Brady to William Mitchell, (mtg $3,000,) $1.

EAGLE AV, 898, 18.9x100; Herman Rosenberg to Stacey E. Goeller, (mtg $8,500,) $100.

FAILE ST, 1,049, 20x100; American Real Estate Co. to Edna L. Grover, $100.

FORT WASHINGTON AV, s w corner of 170th St, 100x148.5; Francis A. Carlson to The Realty Co. of Fort Washington, (mtg $15,000,) $100.

GRAND AV, w s, 330.5 ft n of 184th St, 60.3x119.6; 184th St, n s, 90 ft w of Grand Av, 71x101.3, mtg $4,500 and $5,000 respectively; Henry U. Singhi to Germano Fioravanti, $1.

GREENWICH ST, 186; Owen W. Bohan to Sophia Frank, (mtg $16,000,) $12,000.

GREENWICH ST, 186; Sophia Frank to Henrietta Stein, $100.

HESTER ST, s e corner of Elizabeth St, 74.5x75.8; Max Weinstein to Salvatore Strano, (mtg $135,000,) $100.

HOFFMAN ST, s e corner of 187th St, 50x90.1; Kate Walsh and others to Michael Pignoni, $100.

JEROME AV, w s, 62.7 ft s of Kingsbridge Road, 100x114.8; Germano Fioravanti to Henry W. Singhi, (mtg $13,000,) $1.

LOT 17, map of J. J. Gleason at Westchester; Thomas F. Kelly to Catharine R. Kelly, $1.

MARION AV, w s, 100 ft s of 198th St, 50x125; James H. Young to Christina H. Young, (mtg $5,000,) $1.

MARION AV, n e corner of 197th St, 21x107.3x21.8x110.10; Laura Burkhardt to John Scott, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

MORRIS AV, 1,992, 20x80; August Jacob to Rudolf Seas, (mtg $7,500,) $100.

NAGLE AV, n w s, 230 ft n e of Ellwood St, 25x irregular; Abraham S. Gilbert to Frank T. Noble, two-thirds part, quitclaim, (mtg $21,000,) $1.

NORFOLK ST, 59, 25.9x100; Louis Wiltchik and others to Ike Buss, (mtg $39,000,) $100.

PARK AV, — s of 185th St, 100x100; Frieda Hart to Lulu Banford, (mtg $122,000,) $100.

PARK AV, e s, part of Lot 7, map of Central Morrisania; Albert C. Hencken to The Brand & Silverstein Iron Works, $100.

PEARL ST, 300, 24.2x86.10x24.2x84.8; Henry Leerburger to Henry Pfaltz and another, (mtg $18,000,) $1.

RIVINGTON ST, 315, s s, 25x100; Abraham I. Spiro to Frances E. Stone, ½ part, (mtg $27,500,) $100.

ROGERS PLACE, w s, 133.10 ft n of Westchester Av, 50x74.5x50x74.11; Michael Cohn to Fee Simple Realty Co., (mtg $2,750,) $100.

STEBBINS AV, 1,100, 25x irregular; Margaret Belton to Christopher Belton, $100.

TINTON AV, w s, 73.1 ft n of 145th St, 150x100; Edward Sykes to Lucy Manning, (mtg $8,400,) $1.

WASHINGTON AV, n e corner of 173d St, 50.8x100; Emma F. Callanan to Thomas Lenane, $100.

WEST END AV, w s, 29 ft n of 78th St, 20x irregular; Emma J. Stewart to William W. Astor of London, England, (mtg $12,000,) $1.

WILLETT ST, 68, e s, 25.1x100.4; Karl Sellmeyer to Susi W. Rosenberg, (mtg $36,000,) $100.

WOODYCREST AV, e s, 23 ft s of 164th St, 27x100; William J. Kirkpatrick to Emilp P. Kirkpatrick, (mtg $9,000,) $100.

2D AV, 536, 120x75.9; Eliza Dean and another to Peter Hughes, $1.

2D AV, 2,257; Thomas J. Keane to Charles A. Wingert, (mtg $38,000,) $100.

3D AV, e s, 87.4 ft n of Julia St, 40x100; Sylvester Malone, referee, to William Hagedorn, (mtg $40,000,) $22,000.

6TH AV, 224; John H. Rhoades to Cornelia H. Rhoades, 1-3 part, all title, $1.

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7TH AV, s e corner of 112th St, 28x100; Simon E. Bernheimer and another to Florence I. Rosen, (mtg $35,000,) $100.

7TH AV, s e corner of 112th St, 28x100; Florence I. Rosen to Harry L. Rosen, (mtg $60,000,) $100.

8TH AV, w s, 24.5 ft s of 143d St, 25.6x100; Max Bernstein to Thomas Schales, (mtg $24,000,) $100.

9TH ST, s s, e ½ of Lot 201, map of Unionport; Clarence B. Smith to Jessie Overington, $1.

11TH AV, s w corner of 175th St, 65x75; Emma Bloch to Falcon Realty Co., (mtg $10,000,) $100.

11TH AV, 658, e s, 25.1x100; Julia E. McMahon to Samuel C. Baum, $100.

12TH ST, n s, part of Lot 325, map of Unionport; Louisa Stuckhardt to Mary A. Coman, $1.

19TH ST, 49 West; Frederick J. Leary to Mutual Alliance Trust Co., (mtg $42,000,) $1.

19TH ST, 49 West, 18.11x92; Emma Canton to Frederick J. Leary, (mtg $47,000,) $1.

32D ST, 125 to 129 West, n s, 75x115; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $1.

32D ST, 115 West, n s, 25x98.9; 32d St, 131 West, n s, 25x108.5; 32d St, 133 West, n s, 25x101.7; 33d St, 122 West, s s, 25x98.9; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $100.

32D ST, 117 to 123 West, n s, 75x197.6; 110 to 114 West 33d St; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $1.

32D ST, 111 West, n s, 16.8x65; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $1.

32D ST, 100 West, n s, 17.8x71; 32d St, 113 West, n s, 16x63; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $1.

33D ST, s s, 400 ft e of 7th Av, 25x113.3; 33d St, 350 ft w of 6th Av, 25x97.6; 32d St, n s, 875 ft w of 6th Av, 25x84.3; Ross A. Mackey to Hudson Companies, $1.

34TH ST, 202 to 212 West, s s, 107.7x irregular; Emil Bloch to Hartford Realty Company, $100.

43D ST, 108 to 116 West, s s, 100x100.5; Alonzo Hornby to Leopold Lowenthal, (mtg $235,000,) $100.

43D ST, 108 to 116 West; Leopold Loewenthal to Max Marks, (mtg $235,000,) $100.

45TH ST, 136 to 144 West; F. Howard Schnebbe to Henry B. Harris, (mtg $575,000,) $1.

45TH ST, 136 to 144 West; George G. Heye to F. Howard Schnebbe, (mtg $325,000,) $100.

52D ST, 428 West, s s, 25x100.5; Paul L. Kiernan to Patrick McCarthy, (mtg $22,500,) $27,500.

52D ST, 426 West, s s, 25x100.5; Isaac B. Brennan to Patrick McCarthy, (mtg $22,500,) $23,500.

54TH ST, 45 West, 16.2x100.5; E. D. Winslow to Charles S. Bryan, (mtg $50,000,) $1.

62D ST, 110 East; Angela M. C. Worden to Linnaeus E. La Fetra, (mtg $20,000,) $1.

63D ST, 332 and 334 East, 50x100.5; Arthur D. V. Lyons to Raffaele Guerra, (mtg $48,500,) $100.

77TH ST, s s, 150 ft e of Columbus Av, 100x102.2; Montross Bond and Realty Co. to 44 West Seventy-seventh Street Co., a corporation, $100.

80TH ST, s s, 330.6 ft w of 3d Av, 19x102.2; Marie Stroock to Jacob Heckmann, $100.

84TH ST, n s, 350.6 ft w of Central Park West, 17.6x102.2; Catharine Burns to Horace C. Foote, (mtg $15,000,) $100.

101ST ST, 316 West; Frances M. Carleton to Eugene Vallens, $1.

108TH ST, 182 East; Isidore Jackson to Marie Gougelmann, (mtg $13,000,) $100.

109TH ST, s s, 225 ft w of 2d Av, 25x100.10; Frank Taus to William A. Hanousek, (mtg $25,000,) $100.

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111TH ST, n s, 212.6 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 62.6x100.11; Leo Rosengarten to James Madden, (mtg $75,000,) $100.

116TH ST, n s, 248 ft e of Pleasant Av, 125x100.10; Edgar J. Nathan, referee, to Gamaliel C. St. John, executor, $38,250.

118TH ST, 12 West, 18x100.11; Nathan Szerlip to Harry B. Davis, (mtg $15,500,) $1.

118TH ST, 443 and 445 East, n s, two lots, each 19.9x100.11; Elga Z. Heilperin to Max Frankel, (mtg $16,500,) $100.

120TH ST, 206 West, s s, 37.6x100.11; Daniel Fraad to Rose Brown, ½ part, (mtg $58,500,) $1.

123D ST, 57 East, 19.5x100.11; George W. May and others, heirs of Mary A. May, to Peter M. Ohmeis, $13,500.

123D ST, n s, 162.6 ft e of 1st Av, 18.9x100.10; 123d St, n s, 181.3 ft e of 1st Av, 18.3x100.10; Arthur W. Saunders to Chelsea Realty Co., (mtg $10,000,) $100.

127TH ST, 409 West, n s, 50x99.11; Arnold Realty Company to Rose Enthoven, $100.

133D ST, 202 and 204 West, 75x99.11; James Madden to Leo Rosengarten, (mtg $63,000,) $100.

134TH ST, n s, 150 ft e of Brook Av, 28.4x100; Breslauer Realty Co. to Isidor D. Brokaw, $100.

139TH ST, s s, 128 ft e of Southern Boulevard, 25x100; Bernhard Klingenstein to the Junction Realty Co., $100.

137TH ST, 896 East, s s, 25x100; Lulu Banford to Fredericka Cohen, (mtg $17,000,) $1.

138TH ST, s s, 250 ft e of 12th Av, 50x99.11; Simon Uhlfelder to Transit Realty Co., (mtg $24,000,) $100.

138TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Broadway, 75x99.11; Burlington Realty and Construction Co. to Joshua Velleman, (mtg $82,500,) $100.

143D ST, 384 and 386 East, s s, 31x irregular; Seth H. Lewis to James F. Keeler, $100.

147TH ST, s s, 40.6 ft w of Broadway, 15x99.11; John F. Ollive to Mary E. Wasson, (mtg $8,000,) $100.

150TH ST, 302 West, E. Wolf to Benjamin F. Frey, (mtg $14,500,) $1.

150TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 15x99.11; Caroline Steinan and another to John H. Moran, (mtg $10,000,) $100.

156TH ST, s s, 400 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 50x99.11; Emil Goldmark to Dean Holding Co., (mtg $61,000,) $4,800.

169TH ST, n w corner of Boscobel Av, 82.11x139.9; Matthew Sheedy to Catherine C. Carlin, $100.

187TH ST, s s, Lot 54, map of S. Cambreling and others at Fordham, 88.4x irregular; 187th St, s w corner of Crescent Av, 71x88.4x107.10x—; Adolph Scheibel and others to Daniel F. Carroll, (mtg $4,850,) $100.

201ST ST, s e corner of Briggs Av, 35x100; Louis Oest to Dorette Huneke, $100.

213TH ST, s s, 25 ft e of Maple Av, 25x100; Gesimondo Fuscio to Carmela Puglise, (mtg $750,) $100.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified.

BOEHM, Charles J., to John M. Ruhl; 138th St, 536 East; 138th St, 590 East; Washington Av, 1,477, demand, 6%.....$250

BAUM, Samuel C., to Dora Schwarz; 11th Av, 658, prior mtg $11,000, 3 years, 6%.....$2,500

BAUM, Samuel C., to Julia E. McMahon; 11th Av, 658, 3 years, 5½%.....$11,000

BERKMAN, David, to Ida Pager; Orchard St, 49, installments, 6%.....$6,000

BUSS, Ike, to Louis Weltchik; Norfolk St, 59, due Dec. 1, 1908, 6%.....$2,000

BURNETT, Margaret A., to Minnie Hirsch; 192 Delancey St, prior mtg $20,000, bond.$8,000

BENDA, George, to German Savings Bank; 24th St, 355 West, 3 years.....$2,000

BARON, Sol L., to Kassel Edelson; Allen St, 44, 8 months, 6%.....$2,500

BURNETT, James G. D., to Caroline Fogel; Rider Av, w s, 100 ft n of 138th St, 50x116.8, sub mtg $8,000, 1 years and 6 months, 6%.....$500

COLORADO REALTY COMPANY to Mitchel Valentine; Av B, s w corner of 7th St, 108x205, Unionport, 3 years, 6%.....$6,000

CADY, James C., to Dora Tisch; 20th St, 446 West, due Aug. 1, 1908, 6%.....$1,000

CHANLER, William A., to New York Life Insurance and Trust Co.; Westchester Av, s s, at s e s of 3d Av, 4.1x irregular, 3 years.....$50,000

CONNOLLY, Mary, to Eloise Archer; 148th St, n s, 70.3 ft e of Morris Av, 50x106.6, 2 years, 6%.....$1,500

DI CAPRIO, Salvatore, to John Ritter; East Chester Road, s s, 25.2 ft w of Blondell Av, 25.2x74.7, 4 years and 6 months, 5½%..$2,000

FOOTE, Horace C., to Catherine Burns; 84th St, n s, 350.6 ft w of Central Park West, 17.6x102.2, subject to mtg for $15,000, 3 years, 6%.....$2,000

FEE SIMPLE REALTY COMPANY to Benjamin Hirsch; Rogers Place, w s, 133.10 ft n of Westchester Av, 50x74.5, 3 years, 6%.....$3,500

FIORAVANTI, Germano, to Henry U. Singhi; Grand Av, w s, 330.5 ft n of 184th St, 60.3x119.6, prior mtg $4,500, 1 year, 6%.....$3,500

FIORAVANTI, Germano, to Henry U. Singhi; 184th St, n s, 90 ft w of Grand Av, 71x101.3, (sub mtg $5,000,) 1 year, 6%.....$16,000

FOUHY, Mary A., to Isabella L. Beekman; 51st St, s s, 350 ft e of 11th Av, 20x100.5, 3 years.....$5,000

GARFIELD BUILDING COMPANY to Frances Stevens; 10th St, 28 East, subject to mtg for $225,000, 1 year, 6%.....$75,000

GOLDSTEIN, Esther, to German Savings Bank; 79th St, 403 East, 3 years.....$8,000

GOELLER, Stacey E., to Herman Rosenberg; Eagle Av, 898, sub mtg $8,500, 1 year, 6%.....$2,250

GROVER, Edna L., to American Real Estate Co.; Faile St, w s, 149.6 ft s of Bancroft St, 20x100, prior mtg $8,500, installments, 6%.....$2,000

GROVER, Edna L., to American Real Estate Co.; Faile St, w s, 149.6 ft s of Bancroft St, 20x100, 5 years, 5½%.....$8,500

GEFFEN, Louis, to Isidor Stein; 114th St, s s, 200 ft e of 5th Av, 25x100.11, prior mtg $26,500, 2 years, 6%.....$1,176

GOUGELMAN, Marie, to Isidore Jackson; 108th St, 182 East, sub-mtg $13,000, 2 years, 6%.....$2,000

GOELLER, Charles Le B., to Katherine Furley; Union Av, 1,285, 2 years, 6%.....$700

HARBATER, Joseph, to Max Kotzen; 17th St, 347 East, sub-mtg $13,900, 1 year, 6%..$10,500

HAMBURGER, Emma, to Charles Garfiel; Amsterdam Av, s e corner of 163d St, 100x45, sub mtg $75,000, 5 years, 6%.....$10,000

HUGHES, Peter, to Hamilton F. Dean; 2d Av, 536, 3 years.....$11,000

HENSLE, George L., to Bertha M. Hensle; Topping Av, 1,821, due Jan. 1, 1911, 5½%.....$3,000

HUDSON COMPANIES to E. A. Morrison; Broadway, 1,289 and 1,291; 33d St, 102 and 100, 3 years, 4%.....$1,050,000

HUNEKE, Doretta, to Louis Oest; Briggs Av, s e corner of 201st St, 100x35, 5 years..$6,000

HECKMANN, Jacob, to Mariana Stroock; 80th St, s s, 330.6 ft w of 3d Av, 19x102.2, 5 years.....$14,000

HECKMANN, Jacob, to Theodore Baumeister; 80th St, s s, 330.6 ft w of 3d Av, 19x102.2, 1 year, 6%.....$3,000

KENNEDY, Louise, to Herman C. Junker; 117th St, 316 West, prior mtg $19,000, 3 years, 6%.....$3,500

KNOBEL, Samuel, to Elizabeth Bache, executrix; 10th St, 213 East, bond.....$25,000

KEANE, Thomas J., to Charles A. Wingert; Beekman St, 20, 1 year, 6%.....$1,000

KEELON, James F., to Seth H. Lewis; 143d St, 384 and 386 East, due July 1, 1913.....$9,000

KENNEDY, Louise, to Frank Cohen; 117th St, s s, 221.3 ft w of 8th Av, 26.3x100.11, 3 years.....$19,000

KOCH, Joseph, to Julius Oppenheimer; 138th St, 31 West, 3 years.....$17,000

LENKE, Melchior, to Rosa Blumenthal; Pike St, 46, subject to mtg for $36,300, due July 1, 1909, 6%.....$1,450

LOEWENTHAL, Leopold, to Alonzo Hornby; 43d St, 108 to 116 West, 10 years.....$235,000

LA FETRA, Linnaeus E., to Angela M. C. Worden; 62d St, s s, 80 ft e of Park Av, 18.9x100.5, prior mtg $20,000, 3 years, 6%..$15,000

LEIB, Louis, to Amalia Pirk; Decatur Av, w s, 150.4 ft n of 195th St, 25x127.2, prior mtg $5,000, installments, 6%.....$3,000

LEHMAN, Charles, to Cuno F. Nagel; Story Av, n s, 275 ft e of Avenue D, 25x103, 3¼ years, 6%.....$3,500

MORAN, John H., to Caroline Steinman; 150th St, n s, 100 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 15x99.11, due Dec. 28, 1908, 6%.....$2,000

MEYER, Louis G., to Emanuel Schlessner; St. Nicholas Av, 768, subject to mtg for $18,000, bond.....$1,000

MULLER, Ignace, to John B. Little; Cambreling Av, w s, 54.2 ft n of 189th St, 17.3x100, installments, 6%.....$500

MULLER, Ignace, to John B. Little; Cambreling Av, w s, 54.2 ft n of 189th St, 17.3x100, 4 years, 6%.....$3,000

McGIVNEY, Mary A., to Hattie Altman; 120th St, 160 West, sub-mtg $12,500, bond..$2,000

McAULIFFE, Ellen J., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 132d St, n s, 225 ft e of St. Ann's Av, 100x110, bond.....$7,000

MOONEY, Edmund L., to Mary D. Gerard; 56th St, s e corner of Broadway, 122.7x irregular, prior mtg $150,000, 3 years, 6%..$65,000

MOERSFELDER, Jacob, to Sarah Altman; St. Nicholas Av, s w corner of 112th St, 118.5x109.11, sub mtg $145,000, 1 year, 6%..$5,000

MARX, Magdalena, to John P. O'Connor; Hughes Av, w s, 382.8 ft s of 180th St, 25.1x100, ½ year, 6%.....$1,000

MONGO, James G., to Thomas F. Maloney; Robbins Av, e s, 50 ft s of Dater St, 50x100, 3 years, 6%.....$2,000

NATHAN, Marcus, to Eleonora Bash; Lots 759 to 761, map of Section C, Vyse estate, sub mtg $5,000, 5 years, 6%.....$480

NEUMANN, Theresa, to Park Mortgage Co.; Davidson Av, w s, 97.9 ft n of Fordham Road, 50x98.9, 2 years, 5½%.....$6,000

O'LEARY, John, to Eliza Golden; Crotona Av, e s, 330 ft s of 187th St, 20x100, 2 years, 5½%.....$7,000

OHMEIS, Peter M., to George W. May, executor; 57 East 123d St, 3 years.....$8,500

PORGES, Hannah, to Joseph Harbater; 17th St, 349 and 351 East, due May 20, 1908, 6%.....$700

PETERSON, Betty, to Herman Mundheim; Lots 25 and 26, map of 37 lots of Nellie Marvin, 2 mtgs, each $2,800, 3 years, 6%.....$5,600

PERNETTI, Maria G., to Samson Rosenfield; 1st Av, w s, 38 ft s of 105th St, 37.11x85, due Feb. 1, 1910, 6%.....$2,000

PFLATZ, Henry, to Henry Leerburger; 300 Pearl St, prior mtg $18,000, 3 years, 6%.$4,000

PIGNONI, Michael, to Kate Walsh; Hoffman St, s e corner of Jacob St, 50x90.1, 3 years, 6%.....$5,500

PIGNONI, Michael, to Dollar Savings Bank; Hoffman St, s e corner of Jacob St, 50x90.1, due June 1, 1909, 6%.....$6,500

PRESS, Rosie, to Harry M. Goldberg; 102d St, 324 East, prior mtg $10,000, 1 year and 6 months, 6%.....$3,000

ROSEN, Florence I., to Simon E. Bernheimer; 7th Av, s e corner of 112th St, 28x100, prior mtg $35,000, bond.....$25,000

ROEDER, Mary L., to James H. Grace; Bay Av, n e corner of North St, 30x100, 3 years, 6%.....$3,000

RHOADES, Cornelia H., to John H. Rhoades; 224 6th Av, 3 years.....$10,000

RINGELSTEIN, Charles, to Catharine A. O'Brien; plot begins at centre of stone fence at n corner of William McIntee's lot, —x—, 3 years.....$900

STRANO, Salvatore, to Max Weinstein; Hester St, s e corner of Elizabeth St, 74.6x39, subject to mtg for $70,000, bond.....$15,000

STRANO, Salvatore, to Max Weinstein; Elizabeth St, e s, 39 ft s of Hester St, 36.6x irregular, subject to mtg for $40,000, bond.....$10,000

SCHOLES, Thomas, to Max Bernstein; 8th Av, w s, 24.5 ft s of 143d St, 25.6x100, prior mtg $20,000, 2½ years, 6%.....$4,000

SCHNEBBE, F. Howard, to George G. Heye; 45th St, s s, 400 ft w of 6th Av, 83.4x irregular, 5 years, 6%.....$250,000

SCHAEFER, Karl, to Equitable Life Assurance Society; Washington St, 790, due Jan. 1, 1911, 5½%.....$3,000

TAUS, Fannie, to Anton Schuster; 109th St, s s, 225 ft w of 2d Av, 25x100.11, prior mtg $17,000, 3 years, 6%.....$4,000

THE BRAND & SILVERSTEIN IRON WORKS to Albert C. Hencken; part of Lot 7, map of Central Morrisania, 2 years.....$4,500

ULRICH, Henry, to Charles Ottmann; Grand St, n s, 75 ft e of Goerck St, 22x75, prior mtg $15,000, 5 years, 6%.....$4,000

ULRICH, Henry, to Bowery Savings Bank; Grand St, n s, 75 ft e of Goerck St, 22x75, 5 years.....$15,000

UTILITY REALTY CO. to Herald Square Realty Co.; Southern Boulevard, w s, 166.1 ft n of Wilkins Av, 18.9x85, 3 years, 5½%.....$5,000

UTILITY REALTY CO. to Herald Square Realty Co.; Southern Boulevard, w s, 184.10 ft n of Wilkins Av, 18.9x88.9, 3 years, 5½%.....$5,000

VALLINS, Eugene, to Francis M. Carleton; 316 West 101st St, 3 years, 6%.....$25,000

Mechanics' Liens.

136TH ST, 378 East; William Klein against John Owell, owner and contractor, $100.

31ST ST, 23 West; Bolton & Whiston against Life Publishing Co., owner; Max E. Bensamon, contractor, $106.

230TH ST, s s, 381 ft e of White Plains Road, 25x100; Charles C. Bolle against Mississippi Realty and Building Co., owner and contractor, $150.

HUGHES AV, w s, 100 ft n of 179th St, 25x100; Frank Russo and others against Magdalena Marx, owner; John Marx, owner and contractor, $150.

125TH ST, 14 East; Marston Lumber Co. against Samuel M. Stern and Adolf Krebsand, owners; Aldhous Construction Co., contractor, $128.

Lis Pendens.

WASHINGTON AV, e s, 156.9 ft n of 175th St, 46x110; Grace A. Crosby against Julius Hammer and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Wyatt & Trimble.

WEBSTER AV, w s, 150.4 ft n of 179th St, 25x110; Bronx Borough Bank against Jacob Koman and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. Kearney.

ARTHUR AV, s w corner of 188th St, 54.9x112.10x50.11x112.7; Ferdinand R. Minrath against Joseph McEvoy and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Hoadley, Lauterbach & Johnson.

ELDRIDGE ST, 172; Harris Bransky and others against Isaac Lipschitz, (action to cancel deed;) attorney, L. J. Bernhard.

AMSTERDAM AV, s w corner of 174th St, 50x100; Knickerbocker Trust Co. against Samuel J. Silverman and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. L. Wescott.

11TH ST, 322 and 324 West; Knickerbocker Trust Co. against Annie Rubenstein and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. L. Wescott.

101ST ST, s s, 100 ft e of 1st Av, 100x100.11; Aetna Mortgage Co. against Anna Cirretto and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Levy & Rosenthal.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

ESSEX ST, 85 and 87; Joseph Rabinowitz against Abraham Kosower et al., Dec. 2, 1907, (by bond,) $105.

ESSEX ST, 85 and 87; Isaac Kaplovitz against Abraham Kosower et al., Dec. 2, 1907, (by bond,) $105.

ESSEX ST, 85 and 87; Joseph Kaplovitz against Abraham Kosower et al., Dec. 2, 1907, (by bond,) $382.

ESSEX ST, 85 and 87; Isidore Rachlin against Abraham Kosower et al., Dec. 2, 1907, (by bond,) $60.

ESSEX ST, 85 and 87; Mike Kaplovitz against Abraham Kosower et al., Dec. 2, 1907, (by bond,) $144.

RIVINGTON ST, 310 and 312; New Jersey Terra Cotta Company against Louis Aronowitz et al., April 20, 1907, $300.

138TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Broadway; Edward Miller against Burlington Realty and Construction Company, Dec. 24, 1907, (by bond,) $290.

77TH ST, 44 to 58 West; Canavan Brothers against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 10, 1907, $42,293.

77TH ST, 44 to 58 West; Dayton Construction Company against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 11, 1907, $443,500.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; James McLaughlin Company against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Jan. 14, 1908, $155.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; Lewinson & Co. against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 11, 1907, $92,750.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; Charles H. Damstadt against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Feb. 3, 1908, $26,500.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; Victor Pierret against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 19, 1907, $477.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; Annett & McConnell against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 31, 1907, $1,139.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; George W. Martin against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Dec. 21, 1907, (canceled,) $30,500.

77TH ST, 44 to 50 West; E. H. Ogden Lumber Company against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Feb. 17, 1908, $65.

77TH ST, 50 West; C. S. Goss & Co. against Montross Bond and Realty Company, Feb. 10, 1908, $166.

HOE AV, w s, 100 ft n of Jennings St; Thomas F. Kelly against Jacob Cohen et al., Aug. 23, 1907, $1,269.

36TH ST, 128 West; Samuel Solomon against I. J. Roe, Feb. 15, 1908, $265.

124TH ST, 155 East; Joseph H. Noss against Moses Greenwald, March 30, 1908, (by deposit,) $100.

HESTER ST, 137 to 143; Jordan & Fox against Samuel Abeloff et al., June 6, 1907, $1,943.

HESTER ST, 137 to 143, and Chrystie St, 73 and 75; Sadie Siegel against Samuel Abeloff et al., June 5, 1907, $1,700.

114TH ST, 34 West; Joseph B. Greitzer & Co. againts S. M. Robinson et al., Feb. 24, 1908, $30.

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SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—ROSENSTEIN BROTHERS, INCORPORATED, Plaintiff, against JOSEPH FEYRET, Defendant.—Summons.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New York, March 3d, 1908.

COFFIN & GOLDMARK,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
Office and Post Office address, No. 229 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Joseph Feyret, above-named defendant:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. James A. O'Gorman, Justice of the Supreme Court, dated the 1st day of April, 1908, which order, together with said summons and the complaint in this action, were filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on said 1st day of April, 1908.

COFFIN & GOLDMARK,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
Office and Post Office address, No. 229 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

NO. 10,418.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matetr of HARRIS I. DAVIS and SOLOMON MONOSON, individually and as copartners trading as Davis & Monoson, Bankrupts.

To the creditors of Harris I. Davis and Solomon Monoson, individually and as copartners trading as Davis & Monoson, of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1908, the said Harris I. Davis and Solomon Monoson, individually and as copartners trading as Davis & Monoson, were duly adjudicated bankrupts, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Nathaniel A. Prentiss, referee in bankruptcy, No. 120 Broadway, in the City and County of New York, on the 21st of April, A. D. 1908, at 12:15 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

NATHANIEL A. PRENTISS,
Referee in Bankruptcy,
April 1st, 1908.

NO. 10,649.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SIDNEY L. H. PHILLIPS, also known as Sidney L. Phillips, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1908, the said Sidney L. H. Phillips was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned, referee in bankruptcy, No. 80 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City, on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

April 1st, 1908. WILLIAM H. WILLIS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of ISAAC W. ROMM, Bankrupt.—No. 10,479.

Notice is hereby given that ISAAC W. ROMM, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated March 20th, 1908, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 13th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

NATHANIEL S. SMITH,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, April 1st, 1908.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of HARRY SALWEN, BENEDICT F. BRAMSON, and ISAAC RAPHAEL, Bankrupts.—No. 9,223.

Notice is hereby given that Harry Salwin, Benedict F. Bramson, and Isaac Raphael, bankrupts, have filed their petition, dated January 7th, 1908, praying for a discharge from all their debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 13th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

NATHANIEL S. SMITH,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, April 1st, 1908.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of WILLIAM WAINWRIGHT, Bankrupt.—No. 10,332.

Notice is hereby given that William Wainwright, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated March 24th, 1908, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 13th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

NATHANIEL S. SMITH,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, April 1st, 1908.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of EVORY MANUFACTURING CO., Bankrupt.

Charles Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer in Bankruptcy, will sell, Monday, April 6th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., at Nos. 102 and 107 John Street, Manhattan, New York City, certain assets of the above-named bankrupt, consisting of a large stock of plumbers' and steamfitters' supplies, brass and copper goods, bath tubs, sinks, desks, safe, typewriter, fixtures, &c.

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Dated April 1, 1908.

NATHAN WAXMAN, Trustee.
HENRY W. SYKES, Attorney for Trustee, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of JAMES B. MOORE, doing business as Cafe Francis, Alleged Bankrupt.—The sale of the assets of the above matter has been adjourned to April 16th, 1908, at the same places and times. EDWARD G. BENEDICT, Receiver.

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MORISON, SAMUEL L.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against SAMUEL L. MORISON, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, Room 2,004, No. 7 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of August next.—Dated New York, the 5th day of February, 1908. HORACE MORISON, Executor. TOWNSEND, AVERY & BUTTON, Attorneys for Executor, No. 7 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York City.

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FINK, DIEDERICH.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against DIEDERICH FINK, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business at the office of Robert Godson No. 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of July, 1908, next.

Dated New York, the 14th day of January, 1908.
GEORGE A. FINK,
HENRY J. FINK,
Executors.

ROBERT GODSON, Attorney for Executors, 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

MEYER, THOMAS C.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against THOMAS C. MEYER, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Olin, Clark & Phelps, No. 34 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 7th day of October next.—Dated New York, the 21st day of March, 1908.
GEORGE VON L. MEYER,
HENRY VON L. MEYER,
AUGUSTUS HAVILAND,
Executors.
OLIN, CLARK & PHELPS, Attorneys for Executors, 34 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

ROWLAND, SHEPARD.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against SHEPARD ROWLAND, late of the County of Essex, Montclair, New Jersey, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business at the office of Stimson & Williams, No. 55 Liberty Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of September next.—Dated New York, the 19th day of March, 1908. MARY C. ROWLAND, CHARLES I. REEVES, Executors. STIMSON & WILLIAMS, Attorneys for Executors, 55 Liberty Street, New York City.

ROWLAND, THOMAS FITCH.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against THOMAS FITCH ROWLAND, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Wm. L. Turner, Cotton Exchange Building, Room 84, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 10th day of August next.—Dated New York, the 28th day of January, 1908. THOMAS FITCH ROWLAND, Jr., CHARLES B. ROWLAND, Executors. WM. L. TURNER, Attorney for Executors, Cotton Exchange Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SCHREIBER, ROSA.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ROSA SCHREIBER, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business at the offices of House, Grossman & Vorhaus, and Boskowitz & Levy, Rooms 901-903, No. 115 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 27th day of July next.—Dated New York, the 21st day of January, 1908. WILLIAM FREEMAN, ARNOLD KAISER, Executors. HOUSE, GROSSMAN & VORHAUS and BOSKOWITZ & LEVY, Attorneys for Executors, Rooms 901-903, 115 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

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CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.—JOHN SINNOTT, as executor of the estate of Joseph F. Sinnott, deceased, Plaintiff, against FRANCIS WHALEN, Defendant.

To the above-named defendant, Francis Whalen:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within six days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated January 6th, 1908.
JOHN G. SNYDER,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Office and Post Office address, 256 Broadway, New York City.

To the above-named defendant, Francis Whalen:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order by the Honorable Thomas F. Donnelly, one of the Justices of the City Court of the City of New York, dated February 14th, 1908, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the City Court of the City of New York.

Dated February 27th, 1908.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—EDGAR C. JURGENSEN, Plaintiff, against MILDRED P. JURGENSEN, Defendant.—Summons.

Action for absolute divorce.

Trial desired in New York County.

To the above-named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated February 15th, 1908.
SAMUEL M. HITCHCOCK,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Post Office Address and Office, No. 76 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Mildred P. Jurgensen:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. James A. O'Gorman, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated March 17th, 1908, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of New York County.

SAMUEL M. HITCHCOCK,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

SMALL WANTS.

LOST AND FOUND.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

LOST—Certificate for 100 shares Norfolk & Western R. R. Co. preferred stock, No. C5042, in name of Agnes S. McIntosh; all persons hereby are warned against negotiating this certificate. If found return to and notify G. W. Dougherty & Co., 128 Broadway, New York City.

LOST—Sunday evening, Terrace Garden, East 58th St., silver chain purse, initials "G. L. C.;" containing $8 in cash, two railroad tickets, and receipt. Finder can keep money; also liberal reward. F. L. Davis, 844 6th Av., care of Lebermuth.

LOST—Sunday morning, Madison Av., between Hotel Manhattan and St. Patrick's Cathedral, lady's gold watch, marked "Elizabeth Hannan," with enameled fob; reward. Return Boyd, 3 West 108th St.

LOST—On Tuesday, March 25, a silver-covered memo. book, with initials L. W. engraved on cover, also 2 silver lead pencils. Reward if returned to 30 West 92d St.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch, between Bronx Masonic Temple and Fordham, Tremont, and Bathgate Aves; reward. Notify C. L. Starbuck, 338 Fordham Rd.

LOST—Sable boa, Wednesday evening, March 25, Metropolitan Opera House; reward if returned to Wm. P. Mason, 142 Duane St., New York.

LOST—March 29, from 39th to 42d St., pearl and topaz pin. Substantial reward if returned L. F. Wilson, Rochelle Park, New Rochelle, N. Y.

LOST—Monday evening, between Marble Collegiate Church and Lexington Av., silver mortar-board hatpin; send memo. expenses. J. S. M., Box 102 Times Downtown.

LOST—At Hackett Theatre, Saturday evening, a gold-headed cane; reward given; no questions asked. Address J. E. S., Box 27 Times, Times Square.

LOST—Shopping bag, containing money, papers, and cards; reward; return bag and papers. 32 West 38th St.

LOST—Enamel pin, with diamond in centre; the finder will be liberally rewarded. William L. Wolfe, 316 West 94th St.

LOST—A bunch of keys, on Broadway, between 113th and 110th Sts. Finder please return to 608 West 113th St.

LOST—Lady's open-faced Elgin watch, with gold lady's fob chain, gold ball locket; reward. Swan, 145 Taylor St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

LOST—Between 45th and 39th Sts., West, diamond brooch; $50 reward. Return 40 West 45th St.

LOST—March 31, gold seal ring, initials "E. S."; liberal reward. Return to Silverstein, 637 9th Av.

LOST—Mink fur neckpiece, in Wanamaker's, Wednesday afternoon. Liberal reward if returned to A. R., Graham Court, 116th St.-7th Av.

LOST—Gold open-face Swiss watch; owner's full name in case. Communicate with owner's office in Times Building. A. J. S.

$100 REWARD will be paid for return of silk ribbon watch guard with diamond slides and centre ornament; diamond wreath at end with solitaire in centre, lost Tuesday, March 24th, between 42d and 60th Sts. to Black, Starr & Frost, 438 5th Ave.

$5 REWARD for return of ladies' gold watch and fob, monogram M. C. N., to "Cashier," Hotel Knickerbocker.

REWARD—Vest lost 74th and Columbus to Broadway; reward. Deliver to 101 West 74th St. Tailor.

LOST AND FOUND CATS & DOGS.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

STRAYED or STOLEN from 752 Park Ave., small white and yellow Japanese spaniel, answers to the name Chow Chow. Reward for information or return to 752 Park Ave.

LOST—French bulldog, color brindle, bat ears, screw tail, collar red and black, brass mountings; liberal reward if returned. 33 West 86th St.

LOST—Collie dog, male, in neighborhood of Central Park and East 90th St.; liberal reward. Marks, 4 E. 94th St.

LOST—White poodle, female; answers to name Fussy. Reward if returned to Schwarz, 467 West 140th St.

FOUND.

FOUND, March 30-31—Interborough Rapid Transit Co., 39 Greenwich St.: On Second Av. Elevated—3 umbrellas, 2 pocketbooks, pin, 2 books, shirt, lunch bag, purse, overalls, satchel, drawings. On Third Av. Elevated—Apron, 2 keys, 3 shirts, eyeglasses, 4 books, wristbag, pin, valise, pail, package nails, 2 cans, 2 purses, chisel, roll paper, barometer, cooking dish, 2 overalls, revolver, photograph, glove, 5 umbrellas, towel, rule, card case, 4 purses, shirt, tea, apron, club card, trousers, keys, cap, money, satchel. On Sixth Av. Elevated—8 umbrellas, eyeglasses, 2 purses, pair gloves, gloves, books, magazines, rule, photograph, cheese, oats, collars, overalls, horn, belt pin, 2 books, music, wood, handbag, umbrella, glove, map, muff, 2 pairs gloves. On Ninth Av. Elevated—Trousers, umbrella, purse, 8 books, gloves, rubbers, waist, soapstone, shirt, key, hat, book, gloves, overalls. In Subway—Photograph, 8 umbrellas, 2 purses, handbag, 2 pairs eyeglasses, 2 books, bank book, ball, belt, comb, shoes, rubber, overalls, coat, shirt, belt, ink, will, lamp, laundry photograph, 2 boas, blanket, purse, underwear, hammer, eyeglasses, pipe, bracelet, apron, trousers.

FOUND, March 30-31—N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Grand Central Station: 5 packages, glove, 7 umbrellas, pocketbooks, knife, veil, 2 memo. books, grip, 2 suit cases, beads, envelope, check, handbag, pin, mileage book, 4 umbrellas, veil, 2 boxes, gloves, suit case, loose money, 2 packages, pin.

FOUND, March 30-31—New England Navigation Co. Apply office Commissary, foot Warren St.: Fall River Line, S. S. Plymouth—Umbrella, comb, keys, pin, nightshirt, cuff button, bunch keys, scarf, pin, cuffs, rubbers, gloves. Norwich Line, S. S. Lowell—Bottle dioxogen. Fall River Line, S. S. Providence—Knife, comb, pin, cap, keys, 3 umbrellas, medicine, 2 veils, book, locket.

FOUND, March 31—Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: Handbag, automobile, veil, keys, pocketbook.

FOUND—Erie R. R., Jersey City: 7 umbrellas, package, book, satchel, bank book, overcoat, key, fob, shoes, medicine, muff, 3 umbrellas.

FOUND, March 31—Pennsylvania R. R., Jersey City, N. J.: On Trains—Gloves, cap, slippers, eyeglasses, spoon, 8 umbrellas, pajamas, pin, stole, pocketbook, package.

FOUND, March 30-31—D., L. & W. R. R., Hoboken, N. J.: 5 umbrellas, 5 packages, bag, purse, coat, boa, book.

FOUND, March 30-31—Long Island R. R., city: 4 umbrellas, boa.

FOUND, March 30—Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co., 168 Montague St., Brooklyn: On Elevated Lines—Cap, shirt, trousers, paper, pictures, boa, skates, shoes, towels, muslin, vest, books, eyeglasses, pocketbook, umbrellas. On Surface Lines—4 wheels, boa, collar, book, eyeglasses, pocketbooks, umbrellas.

FOUND, April 1—Awaiting owners Lost Property Clerk's Office, Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: Auto lamp, cap, pocketbook, small amount of cash, key.

FOUND, March 31—Jersey Central R. R., Jersey City: 2 umbrellas, package.

FOUND, March 31—On parlor and sleeping cars Erie R. R. Apply Mr. D. W. Morrison, Erie Station, Jersey City: Soap box, knife, tape measure.

BOARDERS WANTED.

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West Side.

7TH AV., 2,053, 123d St.—Comfortable, homelike, well-kept rooms; excellent board; fine location; references.

20TH ST., 430 WEST.—Double room with board; southern exposure; bath; business people. Chelsea Square.

39TH ST., 57 WEST.—Attractive, large rooms; excellent table board; references.

56TH ST., 62 WEST.—Desirable rooms, with board; table board; references.

72D ST., 131 WEST.—High-class house; beautifully furnished rooms; reference.

79TH ST., 151 WEST.—Large sunny fourth-floor room, with board.

80TH, 154 WEST.—Second-story large front, also small room; parlor dining room.

81ST, 118 WEST.—Beautiful rooms, with excellent board; single room; table board; reference required.

90TH ST., 6 WEST.—Newly furnished rooms; first-class board; moderate; table guests.

93D ST., 122 WEST.—Desirable second floor room; southern exposure; good board; telephone; references.

93D ST., 163 WEST.—Desirable double room; select home; couple; gentlemen; table guests; references; telephone.

135TH, 242 WEST. — Two large second-story rooms; also smaller room; board optional.

REFINED HOME, private family; opportunity to learn English; apartment; Subway; elevated. "Convivant," Times, Times Square.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 61.—Furnished rooms, with board; 79th St. Subway.

THE PARK, 101 Waverley Place, Northwest Corner Washington Square.—Ideal location; front, sunny room; ample closets; superior table; telephone.

WEST END AV., 879, Corner 103d.—Block from Riverside Park, Subway express station, and surface cars; most beautiful and sanitary location New York;—handsomely furnished rooms; superior table.

East Side.

17TH ST., 113 EAST, Near Irving Place.—Desirable large and small rooms; excellent table.

24TH ST., 119 EAST.—Large and small rooms; elegant bath; Southern cuisine.

IRVING PLACE, 53, Nicholas Fish Mansion.—Attractive to those appreciating quiet, well-ordered house; breakfast served in rooms; references desired.

MADISON AV., 673, 694, 696, (61st.)—Suites and separate room $18 to $28 with board, two persons; single, $8 to $12.

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BOARDERS WANTED.

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Brooklyn.

MONTAGUE TERRACE, 5, overlooking Wall St.—Subway to Broadway, N. Y. three minutes; rooms, single, en suite; parlor floor furnished and unfurnished; neighborhood, house, table high class; table guests.

Long Island.

DOUGLAS MANOR INN, Douglaston.—Open the year round. In the centre of large estate on Little Neck Bay. Attractive and homelike. Easy commuting distance. Write for terms and particulars.

New Jersey.

CRANFORD, N. J.—Board near station for young men; references. N., Box 32 Times, Times Square.

BOARD WANTED.

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YOUNG man desires room and board in the Bronx. Address stating full particulars. B. A., Box 46 Times, Times Sq.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

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West Side.

12TH ST., 43 WEST.—Attractively furnished rooms; hot and cold running water; telephone.

42D ST., 242 WEST, Near Broadway.—Elegant large rooms, private bath, suitable for two; reasonable.

43D, 148 WEST.—Nice large and small rooms; exceptionally reasonable for Times Square location.

49TH ST., 131 WEST.—Large pleasant room, nicely furnished; hot and cold water; quiet house.

51ST ST., 351 WEST.—Two large and small rooms; private house; nice locality; moderate; gentlemen.

77TH ST., 111 WEST.—Large and small rooms, never occupied, new furniture; private family; all conveniences; gentlemen only; reasonable rates if permanent.

78TH ST., 157 WEST.—Second-floor room, private bath, good attendance; Phone 7910 River; reference.

79TH ST., 152 WEST.—Sunny room; table guest.

82D ST., 6 WEST.—Attractive furnished suite or separate; breakfast optional; reasonable.

83D ST., 52 WEST—A small family with a modern house wishes to rent large and medium-sized second-floor rooms, singly or en suite; single, $10 weekly; en suite, $18 weekly; every convenience; telephone; references.

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91ST ST., 74 WEST.—Newly furnished rooms; all conveniences; doctor's apartment; Subway, L; breakfast optional.

93D ST., 307 WEST.—Elegant rooms, southern exposure; married couple or two gentlemen; elevator. McCarty.

93D ST., 169 WEST.—Medium-sized room, adjoining bath; suitable for two; all conveniences; telephone.

101ST ST., 16 WEST.—Newly furnished light homelike room; steam. Timpson.

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111TH ST., 125 WEST.—Large and small rooms, absolutely clean; private house, American family.

148TH ST., 565 WEST.—Single, private family; Subway express; references, Mrs. Grant.

BROADWAY, 2,465, (91st St. Subway.)—Suite or singly, two or three outside rooms; elevator. Keeler.

FRONT PARLOR, two bedrooms, adjoining; suitable three; upper west side. W. M., Box 103 Times Downtown.

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58TH ST., 36 EAST, Near Madison Av.—Rooms singly or en suite; valet; breakfast optional; telephone.

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THE RALEIGH, 605 Broadway.—Just the place for downtown business men; special rate per week, $3 up; baths free.

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WE desire to inform our clients and the public that we have removed to this address, where we have increased facilities for recommending desirable applicants for furnished rooms, apartments, or boarding places. Desirable vacancies always in demand. Representative will call upon request. Temple Rental Company, Suite 605, 108 and 110 West 34th St.

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73D ST., 169 WEST.—Sunny rooms; single, double.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

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Singers.

WANTED—Contraltos for New Jersey churches; medium salaries. Webster's Choir Exchange, 136 5th Av.

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Teachers.

WANTED—German teacher, private school; exceptional opportunity; permanent. Hopkins', 1 Union Square, Lincoln Building.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Girls; those with experience at glue work and tinseling post cards only; apply at 9 A. M. Raphael Tuck Sons Co., 2 West 18th St., 3d floor.

WANTED—Ladies with leisure time instructed in the art of selling real estate, making $50 weekly. Albert Edwards, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

Bookkeepers.

WANTED—IN THE OFFICE OF A DEPARTMENT STORE AN EXPERIENCED PURCHASE LEDGER BOOKKEEPER; ONE WITH EXPERIENCE IN DEPARTMENT STORE ACCOUNTING PREFERRED. ADDRESS PERMANENT, BOX 40 TIMES, TIMES SQUARE.

Clerks.

WANTED—Clerk for paper bag manufacturers; must have good personality and knowledge of this business; $624 to start. Hapgoods, 307 Broadway.

Gardeners.

WANTED—Gardener, and wife to do plain cooking; country place. Soffer, 114 Liberty St.

Organists.

WANTED—Episcopal organist for suburban church, $800. Webster's Choir Exchange, 136 5th Ave.

Salesmen.

A.—A.—A.—WE WANT salesmen of good appearance and ability; high-grade proposition and big money; splendid chance for live men. Call Laurelton Co., 9 E. 26th St.

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WANTED—Salesmen wanted to call on merchants only; absolutely new attractive seller; ideal side line; sample weighs 2 ounces; open territory; nothing similar on the market. Call at once. Samuel Baer, 203 West Broadway.

WANTED—Book salesman to handle two successful books. K. P. Co., 1,416 Broadway, before 11 A. M., Room 415.

WANTED—Salesmen, managers, and office positions of any kind. See Ogden's, 510 Tribune Building.

Singers.

WANTED—Tenor for suburban church, $500; nominal registration. Webster's Choir Exchange, 136 Fifth Av.

Miscellaneous.

AUTOMOBILES.—Rare chance to become a practical chauffeur; only practical school in city; 30 cars to overhaul; to prove this we will teach you free this week; license guaranteed. Auto Transportation Co., 309 W. 41st.

WANTED—Boys in the office of a large manufacturing concern; must have good education, come well recommended; chances for advancement are good; salary to start, $5.00 per week. Address, stating age, references, Madison, P. O. Box 645 New York City.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MEN OF NEAT APPEARANCE TO SOLICIT ADVERTISING; GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN. ADDRESS J. B., BOX 46 TIMES, TIMES SQUARE.

WANTED—Second man in the house, for all-year-around at Newport; must understand valeting and have best of references. Send particulars, name and address to Mrs. De Lancy Kane, Hotel Belmont, 42d St.

WANTED—Cashier and bookkeeper for general insurance agents; books not complicated, but require man of good common sense, not over 30; $780 to start. Hapgoods, 307 Broadway, N. Y. City.

WANTED—Bright men instructed in real estate; $100 weekly easily made; this proposition unparalleled; splendid opening. Albert Edwards, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

WANTED—Gas company wants active canvassers to place gas fuel appliances; commission and salary to competent men. Call, 9 to 11 A. M., Room 612, 100 West 41st St.

WANTED—Office manager for paper box manufacturers; must be capable executive with thorough knowledge of general bookkeeping; $1,040-$1,300. Hapgoods, 307 Broadway.

WANTS SECRET POLICE CORPS.

Aldermen Pigeonhole Bingham's Request Resulting from Bomb Outrage.

At the Board of Aldermen meeting yesterday a communication was received from Police Commissioner Bingham asking for an appropriation of $100,000 to establish a secret service corps in the Police Department. The request was based largely on the recent bomb outrage in Union Square. The request was referred to the Finance Committee.

Robbed on a Sleeping Car.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, April 1.—Train thieves early to-day robbed Mrs. L. E. McFarland, a New York woman, of diamonds valued at $1,000, on a Pullman car as a Pennsylvania train entered the Chicago yards. The gems taken included two diamond rings and a gold watch studded with diamonds. The jewelry was in a chamois-skin bag around Mrs. McFarland's neck. Jewelry valued at $1,000 was taken from Mrs. McFarland of New York.

Receiver for Union Railway.

Judge Lacombe in the United States Circuit Court yesterday appointed Frederick W. Whitridge, now the receiver of the Third Avenue Railway, as receiver of the Union Railway in the Bronx on the petition of the Lorain Steel Company of Pennsylvania, which has a claim of $23,323.75 against the railway for materials furnished.

SMALL WANTS.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A man of ability to devote part or all time to a lucrative proposition; business experience and salesmanship required. Call mornings, Room 802, 150 Nassau St.

WANTED—An American Protestant about 22, good appearance, for general usefulness in office of country club. Address Permanent, Box 51, Times, Times Square.

WANTED—Advertising solicitor on daily newspaper to solicit cards for daily trade directory on commission. Address S. R., Box 145 Times, Times Square.

WANTED—Manager's assistant for sales. Publicity, manufacturing; $1,200; other openings. Mighill, Position Broker, Flatiron Building.

WANTED—Energetic men to handle a specialty of high standard; a good proposition to right parties. C. A., 110 Times Downtown.

WANTED—Internes at St. Gregory's Hospital. Apply Superintendent, at 93 Gold St., city.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

Bookkeepers.

BOOKKEEPER, &c.—Double-entry bookkeeper, stenographer, and typewriter; good education; five years' experience; salary, $18. A., Box 160 Times Downtown.

Companions.

COMPANION, &c.—Foreign lady, well read, great traveler, speaking English, German, French, and Scandinavian, will go to Europe as guide and companion. Answer X. X., Box 34 Times, Times Square.

Dressmakers.

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EXTORTION CHARGE FOR FISCHER-HANSEN

Lawyer Indicted on Complaint of Philadelphian Who Says He Gave Him $15,000.

LETTERS FIGURE IN CASE

Affidavit Avers That the Accused Demanded $25,000 for Suppressing Suit Against His Accuser.

Carl Fischer-Hansen, the "philanthropist lawyer," was arrested yesterday on an indictment charging him with extorting $15,000 from Joseph E. O'Brien of Philadelphia. The indictment was the outgrowth of charges made against O'Brien by Antonio Macaluso, a young Italian, who is alleged to have given Fischer-Hansen the information that was used in obtaining the money from O'Brien.

Fischer-Hansen was arrested soon after the indictment was returned by the Grand Jury and arraigned before Judge Foster in the Court of General Sessions. Bail was fixed at $15,000. Isaac V. Brokaw of 45 East Twenty-fifth Street, Fischer-Hansen's father-in-law, furnished the bail bond, giving his home as security.

Fischer-Hansen had a case before Judge Foster in the afternoon and had not been out of the building ten minutes when Detective Russo of District Attorney Jerome's office arrested him at Franklin Street and Broadway. When Russo halted the lawyer and told him the nature of the charge against him he nearly collapsed. He offered no protest, however, and accompanied the detective back to the courtroom he had left only a few minutes before.

"It is my unpleasant duty," said Judge Foster, as Fischer-Hansen appeared before him, "to inform you that an indictment has been found against you this morning by the Grand Jury. I know that you have long been an honest member of the New York Bar Association and have practiced honorably before this court. I directed the officer to whom I gave the warrant to spare you the humility of public arrest. The statement before me (referring to the O'Brien affidavit) leaves nothing for me to do but hold you for trial on a charge of extortion."

The complaint against Fischer-Hansen on which the Grand Jury returned the indictment for extortion accuses the lawyer of working in conspiracy with the young Italian to extort money from O'Brien. According to the affidavit Fischer-Hansen demanded and received $15,000 to suppress a suit for $100,000 damages brought by the Italian against the Philadelphian. O'Brien had written several letters to Macaluso from Europe. The complaint alleges that the payment of the money to Fischer-Hansen was in part to procure the return of these letters.

O'Brien has a friend in this city whose name the District Attorney withholds. To this man O'Brien wrote, requesting him to go to Fischer-Hansen and see if he could not stop the suit for damages and get the letters back. The friend went to Fischer-Hansen, and it is alleged that the lawyer demanded $25,000 to stop the suit, and said that if the money was paid the letters also would be returned. The friend is said to have paid $10,000 of the amount himself, and then to have given John J. Buckley, a lawyer at 90 Nassau Street, the other $15,000 to close the deal. Mr. Buckley, it is said, thought $25,000 exorbitant, and would pay only $5,000. In addition to the $100,000 damage suit against O'Brien, Macaluso's mother threatened to bring a second one. She appeared before Supreme Court Justice Platzek in February and obtained her appointment as guardian for her son for the purpose of beginning suit against the Philadelphian. Mrs. Macaluso said that O'Brien had violated a contract under which he agreed to educate her son. The boy's age is given as 19 years.

Fischer-Hansen made a statement last night at his home, 9 West Forty-seventh Street, in which he said that he and not his accuser was a victim of blackmail. For several weeks he said "unscrupulous lawyers" had been trying to extort money from him, and he added that had he paid this money the indictment charging him with extortion would probably not have been returned. He would not divulge the lawyers' names.

"Amen Corner" in Storage.

The four ancient red velvet upholstered settees, which actually composed the "Amen Corner" in the Fifth Avenue Hotel, have been removed, preparatory to the closing of the hotel on Saturday night. Through the courtesy of the hotel management, Hitchcock & Darling, the settees were turned over to the Amen Corner Corporation, which has put them in storage.

Ex-Supt. Walker Indicted.

Two indictments were filed by the Grand Jury yesterday afternoon charging misdemeanor against William H. Walker, former Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, alleging that he certified false pay rolls in allowing names of employes to stay on the rolls when they were absent.

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A. M.		Loss.
1:30	610 Water St.; R. Zirzillo	$500
2:00	31 to 35 West 15th St.; Hines & Novle.	Slight
2:20	51 Allen St.; unknown	$15
3:00	546 Wendover Av.; unknown	$200
7:30	600½ East 16th St.; T. Farrell	Slight
10:25	457 and 459 East 138th St.; F. Zinn	$500
10:40	371 Edgecombe Av.; Catherine Reiser.	$5,000
P. M.		
12:01	125 West 115th St.; Isidore Rashare	$25
12:45	148 Suffolk St.; Isidore Nadden	$50
4:20	112 2d Av.; Herman Manes	Trifling
5:25	2,168 5th Av.; B. Edelson	Trifling
5:25	780 Elton Av.; S. Maul	Trifling
5:30	211 W. 80th St.; Bennett & Eckel	$150
6:00	88th St., east of Riverside Drive; unknown	Trifling
6:10	990 2d Av.; unknown	Trifling
6:10	457 West 166th St.; unknown	Trifling
6:45	55 Clarkson St.; Marchisini & Co.	Trifling
6:30	530 E. 81st St.; Bertha Cronsky	Trifling
7:30	17 Sullivan St.; Sunset Club	$50
7:35	429 E. 12th St.; unknown	$50
8:25	211-213 Avenue A; Peter Weis	$5
8:40	157 Chrystie St.; Chas. Gempalo	Trifling
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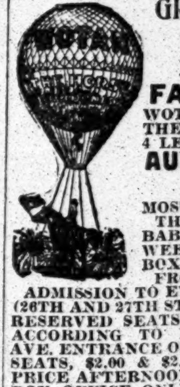

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